FAYETTEVILLE OBSERVER.

OLD SERIES—VOL. LVII—NO. 2,931 FAYETTEVILLE, N. C. THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 1892. NEW SERIES—VOL. IX—NO.

THE OBSERVER

THURSDAY.....APRIL 21, 1892.

The Leading Newspaper in the Third Congressional and Seventh Judicial Districts.

NEWS AND COMMENTS.

A DEMOCRATIC Congress at Washington has just given the country the first installment of genuine reform and relief to an over-taxed people in the passage of a free wool bill, to be followed by a repeal of the duty on cotton bagging ties, binding twine, etc., all of which a Republican Senate will find of doubtful propriety to stand in the way of such manifestly just measures passing that august body and going to the President for ratification or rejection. Truly the Democratic party is fast fulfilling its pledges to the people for retrenchment and reform in the administration of our public affairs.

"THE next President of the United States shall be a Democrat," exultantly remarks the New York *World*, to all of which the OBSERVER most heartily and enthusiastically subscribes, and will "go its full length" to bring about such a "consummation so devoutly to be wished for." But to that end we maintain that the next Democratic President shall likewise be named at the National Convention by Democratic States For the Democracy of Republican strongholds to persist in forcing upon Democratic States a candidate whose selection they question, would seem to us to be simply inviting disintegration of our own ranks, which, in so great a crisis and crucial test would inevitably end in overwhelming defeat at the polls in November. In any event the next President must be a Democrat and able to carry New York, New Jersey, Connecticut and one or more Western States.

"THE Washington *Post* says that it has it from reliable authority that an agreement between the United States and Italian government in relation to the New Orleans affair (the killing of the Italians) has been reached that the United States has agreed to pay $25,000 to the families of the Italians who were killed. Negotiations have been pending between the Department of State and the Italian Government for some time looking to a settlement of the matter. If the above amount has been agreed upon it will have to be recommended to Congress in a message by the President and the recommendation passed upon by that body." And therein we hope a Democratic Congress will have the manhood and moral stamina to enter an emphatic no, and thus affix forever the seal of condemnation on such lawlessness as those members of the New Orleans mafia stood charged with at the time of their killing.

GRAY already with years and age the OBSERVER has cut another notch in the mile-post of time and celebrated a few days since the 66th anniversary of its birth. Truly a ripe age this—twice of that alloted to the life of the average man on earth. As to its unwavering fidelity to principle and duty, and interest in the progress and welfare of a State and people in and among whom it has been published for lo these many years—mourning with them amid the storms of adversity and rejoicing in the sunshine of their happiness and prosperity—its large and growing constituency and well-filled advertising columns to-day speak more eloquently than any language we could command, and is an endorsement of the paper for which we are profoundly thankful and justly proud. Leal and true to the Jeffersonian principles of Democracy without reserve, and the great cause of a people conservative and catholic in spirit and patriotic in sentiment, we put our "best foot foremost" and start out upon the journey of another year with "all sails set and the breezes fair."

THE ladies of Wilmington are to be congratulated upon the selection of Capt. S. A. ASHE, of the Raleigh *News and Observer*, a finished scholar, to deliver the oration at the 10th of May exercises in the "City by the Sea;" one whose love for his country and the cause for which his fellow-soldiers so nobly fought and bravely died on a hundred fields of battle has steadily kept time to the tune of passing years, asserting itself to-day—a quarter of a century after the last gun was fired—in his peculiar interest in the welfare and happiness of a people among whom his life has been spent. None the less are the people of Washington to be complimented upon their wise and happy selection of HENRY BLOUNT, of Wilson, poet, orator and editor, to deliver a similar address in that cultured, refined and hospitable "home of pretty women," over the grass-covered graves of the "boys in gray," who gallantly sacrificed their lives upon the altar of their country for a cause that was just and a principle that was right and will be living and prevailing when the 19th century shall have passed into "innocuous desuetude."

IT has again fallen to the "common lot" of JOHN L. SULLIVAN to meet with his match. While the train was standing at the depot in Clinton, Ill., a few days ago, SULLIVAN and his colleague, DUNCAN B. HARRISON, were ensconced in the "smoker" when the crowd outside began surging through the car, guying the great slugger which was the occasion for HARRISON to indulge in some sarcastic and cutting remarks. No sooner than he did, however, one of the number made the remark that he "could lick him himself," giving the doughty Colonel a push about on a par with the famous kick Congressman KILGORE of the "Lone Star State" gave to the closed doors of Czar REID's Congress last year. Regaining his equilibrium HARRISON quickly measured the full length of his adversary on the floor of the aisle of the car, repeating the dose as often as the fellow reached his feet. SULLIVAN by this time was standing at his side, a fact within itself that rendered it unhealthy for any of the crowd to go to the rescue of their fellow-companion. Indignant and exasperated the crowd in the meantime succeeded in holding up the train until a warrant could be served which was the signal for resistance to the marshal who, however, was not slow to take in the situation, and in an instant had ten armed men surrounding the train resolved upon killing both, should any further resistance be made. Entering the car the marshal soon had SULLIVAN and HARRISON looking down the barrels of a No.38-calibre double-action Smith & Wesson revolver, with many others on the outside pointing in the same direction, which quickly induced the belligerents to "come to time," the plucky marshal remarking at the same time: "I will take you, dead or alive."

SINCE OUR LAST ISSUE.

Latest News from all Parts of the World, Prepared Especially for the Readers of "The Observer."

Cabarrus county has just celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of its formation out of parts of Mecklenburg and Rowan counties. ——The fruits and grains from this State are to be shown at the World's Fair in very attractive shape; in glass jars of various sizes and of new designs. ——The trustees of the Odd Fellows Orphanage at Goldsboro, have elected Dr. W. C. Whitfield, of Seven Springs, Wayne county, superintendent, and his wife matron. ——The pugilists Fitzsimmons and Hall, signed articles for a fight to the finish, to take place before one of three clubs named in the articles that offer the largest purse. ——Another reorganization of the Richmond Terminal system of railroads is reported. ——The horrible loss of life across the Mississippi State line grows more appalling and the death list is constantly increasing. The waters now cover the land for seventy miles south of Nashville. Scores of houses, bodies of men, women and children, together with those of beasts, muddy the waters. Over 1,200 people are homeless. The flood is caused by the sudden rising of sixteen rivers, which form a net-work over north Mississippi. ——Rev. Dr. G. W. Sanderlin, State Auditor, has consented to deliver the Literary Address at the closing exercises of Buie's Creek Academy on Thursday, May 12th. ——At Newark, O., a mob of 100 men broke into the jail for the purpose of lynching a prisoner, but were driven off by the mayor and a squad of police. ——Marshall S. Mott says the Republicans can carry Cleveland county this year. —— The Reformed Republicans of South Carolina held a State Convention at Columbia and adopted a platform and also appointed delegates to the Republican National Convention. ——Mrs. Florence Ethel Osborne will be released from prison before the time for which she was sentenced expires. ——The Democrats carry Albany, N. Y., by 5,000 majority. ——Near Danville, Va., a few days ago a man named Boulding crossed the line into this State and without any warrant arrested a man named Newton on the charge of larceny. Newton attempted to run and was shot and killed by Boulding. ——Bishop Haygood, of California, telegraphs to Rev. Warren Candler, of Oxford, Ga., to have arrested Rev Edward Dunbar and his wife. It seems that the present Mrs. Dunbar is the third living wife of the Rev. Dunbar. ——There are 32 veterans in the soldiers' home at Raleigh. ——Strawberries are on exhibition in Wilmington. ——The Goldsboro Land and Improvement Company was organized a few days ago. ——Dr. Parkhurst, or order to get testimony against Tammany and its officials, went into a dive, bought beer for the girls and saw them dance the can-can in a perfectly nude state. ——Evangelist Fife and Rev. Geo. C. Needham are conducting a Bible Conference in Raleigh this week. ——Rev. Stewart McQueen, of Georgetown, S. C., has been elected rector of the Episcopal church, of Durham, and has accepted. ——Dollie Thomason, a depraved white woman, was found dead in her cell in Oxford jail. —— Congressman Oates, of Alabama, has returned to Washington from his district where he has been looking after his renomination, and received the hearty congratulations of his colleagues upon his success in cleaning up the opposition. ——The Wilmington *Star* has news that a colored woman and two children were burned to death near Harrell's Store, in Sampson county. ——Ario Pardee, of Pennylvania, who died in Florida the other day, was found to have left his estate in a tangle—a big tangle, we should think it would make, for when the kinks are straightened out there will be $30,000,000 for the heirs.—— A bill decreasing the charge for the use of telephones in the State has been passed by the Maryland legislature. ——W. T. Baker has been re-elected President of the World's Fair Directory; Solicitor-General Butterworth retires, his office abolished. ——The military authorities of Austria are pushing a bill providing stringent measures to check the emigration of young men to America. ——Another steamer, the *Conemaryle*, leaves the port of New York in a day or two, laden with a cargo of food for the starving of Russia. —— The Tombigbee river at Demopolis, Ala., is rising at the rate of six inches an hour, and great areas of lowlands planted with corn and cotton are under water. The river is within seven and a half feet of the high-water mark of 1874, and will probably pass that point.—— Many speculations are indulged in at London, Eng., as to the reason for the sudden return home of Lord Salisbury from Beallieu, in the south of France, where it was expected he would remain for some time. ——Another bomb was exploded in Valencia, Spain, presumably by Anarchists. Much damage was done to property, and the people of the city are in a state of terror. ——A pistol duel, to the death of both, between a negro man and woman, was St. Louis's sensation recently. ——There seems to be a unanimous feeling on the part of Democrats in Washington that an early adjournment of Congress has become a necessity. ——Mr. Holman, the veteran Congressman from Indiana, has been nominated for Congress for the eighteenth time, his services thus covering a period of thirty-six years. ——Some of the Republicans still cling to Blaine as drowning sailors cling to a floating plank. The Washington *Star* quoted a "devoted friend" of Mr. Blaine as saying that it was absolutely certain that Mr. Blaine would accept the nomination for the Presidency if it should be offered to him by the convention. ——At the annual election of trustees for the New York Life Insurance Company last week forty-seven thousand votes were cast, the largest number in the history of the company. Policy-holders were present from all parts of the country. The entire number of votes cast was in favor of the ticket named by President McCall and the policy-holder's committee. Ex-Mayor W. R. Grace, Judge Hiram R. Steele, C. C. Baldwin, Walter Lewis and Henry C. Mortimer, were elected trustees. President McCall announced that he had reinstated Theodore M. Banta, the cashier, whom Mr. Beers dismissed several months ago because of his alleged participation in an attack on the executive officers of the company. The trustees ratified the election of Hugh S. Thompson, now United States Civil-Service Commissioner, as comptroler of the company, and that the pension of $37,500 a year awarded by ex-President Beers by the former Board of Trustees should not be paid. ——The House Committee on Appropriations is asked to take immediate action on a bill to appropriate $50,000 to aid the people in Alabama and Mississippi who have suffered by the floods. It is said 100 persons were drowned in one county.

Glorious Easter.

[Henry Blount in Wilson Mirror.]

Sunday will be precious Easter, the happy and precious anniversary of the blessed day that our sweet and precious Saviour came from the tomb, and taught us the doctrine of the resurrection and the life. Easter is one of the gladdest of church festivals. We celebrate it with music and flowers. We deck our churches with the choicest blooms; our organs give the most inspiring music. It is a time of rejoicing, when all tongues are opulent with praise, and all hearts are overflowing with gratitude. The Lord has risen. This is the strain sublime. He was dead and buried, but He came forth from the tomb, not with the grave-clothes still bound upon Him, as did Lazarus, but in the robes of His divine majesty. The grave is opened behind Him, but its gloom is gone. It is all light. Our Lord has lain in it, and robbed it of its terrors. He has become the first-fruit of them that slept. This is the ground and glory of our hope. He tasted death for every man that we might have triumph over the last enemy. As He rose and ascended to the Father, so shall we arise and ascend; for as in Adam all died, so in Christ shall all be made alive. Blessed thought. Comforting contemplation. He payed the debt we owe. He breaks the seal of the tomb, and gives us the glorious boon and splendid birth right to the glorious resurrection and a blisful immortality. Thank God. Oh how the heart melts in gratitude, and the lips move to soug, at the coming of blessed Easter, for this precious day brings us the sweet and comforting assurance that when our bodies are consigned to the grave the ransomed spirit flies to a sweeter and brighter world, where a new life shall begin—where an eternal Easter morn of unfading glories and unapproachable splendors and indescribable gladness will flood our ransomed souls in drainless streams of living brightness, and float them away on those stainless tides of light that never break a ripple upon the shores of night.

"The Good Old Days."

[New York Sun.]

"I guess these farmers who are groaning about the wrongs they have to put up with, to say nothing of low prices and high taxes, and who long for the good old times, before railroad monopolies ground them, and when every man's hand was not raised against them, don't remember much about the good old times," said a well-known Orange county farmer, who has lived in that country over seventy-five years, and owned a farm for sixty.

"I can remember when we used to haul our grain, butter, pork, eggs, and everything else we had to sell, all the way to Newburgh, taking one day to go and another day to come home. We generally got 15 cents a bushel for oats, and 10 cents a pound for butter. Anything like 75 cents a bushel for wheat was a fancy price. If we got 6 or 8 cents a dozen for eggs we thought we were doing well. Nice corn-fed pork, dressed, we carted to market for $2 a hundred. The butter we put on the market in those days was the genuine Orange county article, yellow as gold and hard as a walnut. I have sold tubful after tubful of the choicest butter for 10 cents a pound that would net me 75 cents a pound if I had it to sell now.

"That was before the Erie Railway came through here and put us up to selling our milk instead of making it into butter. We didn't have any lime-preserved eggs to sell in those days, either. As for taxes, I paid $100 on my farm of 100 acres when I was getting 10 cents for my butter. On the same farm now I pay less than $50, and I sell my entire dairy of milk for what would be more than three times 10 cents a pound for butter. I tell you there is a good deal of humbug in this referring to the good old days as being the golden age of farming. They were nothing of the sort."

Poisonous Waste Products in the Body.

[Popular Science Monthly.]

In pneumonia the quickened breathing shows both the effort of nature to make up for the loss of that part of the lung which is ineffective, and also the stimulus which the increased waste poison in the blood (increased owing to diminished lung capacity, and therefore diminished oxygen) exerts upon the respiratory machinery. So, again, when less blood is carried to the lungs, owing to the artery which leads from the heart to the lungs being partially blocked with a clot, the same effect is produced.

Probably a somewhat similar condition arises after hard work, either in old age or in a feeble state of health. The tissue, not being in the firm condition of the tissue of a vigorous person accustomed to daily work, breaks down in large quantities, while at the same time the circulatory and respiratory machineries are no longer at their best, and the oxidation is imperfect. On the next day the infirmed man is poisoned by the unusual quantity of waste in the system, and feels discomfort in many parts of his body or limbs.

Poverty to Wealth.

Mark Twain was once an impecunious reporter in San Francisco, often not having money enough to buy his dinner. He was standing disconsolate one day on the corner of Montgomery street, with a cigar-box under his arm. An acquaintance saw him, and asked him what he was about. "I am moving," said the humorist, "and carrying with me all my worldly goods." He then opened the box and displayed his entire wardrobe, as he styled it—an old clay pipe, a paper collar and a well-worn necktie. He is now worth probably $1,000,000.

Alas!

[Judge.]

Sweet Ethelinda sewed one day
A button on my vest;
And as she was near—and sweet—
Her form I gently pressed.

She frowned, she blushed; the button danced
Unsewn about my vest.
She said: "You press the button, sir,
And I will do the rest!"

Not Always.

[Life.]

"All's fair in love," they say;
'Tis often so, and yet
'Tis just the other way
If she should be a brunette.

☞ The marble capitol building at Hartford, Conn., is 300 feet long, and the engineers declare that it is three inches longer in summer than in winter.

☞ The Keeley Institute is increasing greatly in its membership.

Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint.

Is it not worth the small price of 75c. to free yourself of every symptom of these distressing complaints? if you think so call at our store and get a bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer; every bottle has a printed guarantee on it; use accordingly, and if it does you no good it will cost you nothing. Sold by A. J. Cook & Co.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

INGERSOLL'S ELOQUENT ORATION,

Delivered at the Grave of Walt Whitman—Hand-in-Hand, Between Smiles and Tears, the "Good Gray Poet" Reaches His Journey's End.

Walt Whitman, the "Good Gray Poet," is dead. He was buried at Camden, N. J., where he lived, on Wednesday of last week, when eulogies were pronounced by a number of his friends and admirers. There was no officiating minister, and the ceremonies were plain and simple. The principal address was delivered by Col. Robert G. Ingersoll, and is as follows:

Again, we, in the mystery of life, are brought face to face with the mystery of death. A great man—a great American—the most eminent citizen of the republic—is dead before us. And we have met to pay tribute to his greatness and to his worth. I know that he needs no words of mine. His fame is secure. He laid the foundation of it deep in human hearts. He was above all that I have known, the poet of humanity, of sympathy. He came into our generation a free, untrammelled spirit, with sympathy for all. His arm was beneath the form of the sick. He sympathized with the imprisoned and despised. And even on the brow of crime he was great enough to place the kiss of human sympathy. One of the greatest lines in our literature is his. Speaking of the outcast—and the line is great enough to do honor to the greatest genius that ever lived—he said:

"Not until the sun excludes you will I exclude you."

A charity as wide as the sky. And wherever there was human suffering, human misfortune, the sympathy of Whitman bent above it as the firmament bends above the earth.

He was built on a broad and splendid plan—ample, without appearing to have limitations—passing easily for a brother of mountains and seas and constellations; caring nothing for the little maps and charts that timid pilots hug the shore with, and giving himself freely, with the recklessness of genius, to the winds and waves and tides; caring for nothing as long as the stars were above him. And he walked among men, among writers, among verdual varnishers and veneerers, among literary milliners and tailors, with the unconscious dignity of an antique god.

He was the poet of life. It was a joy to him simply to breathe. He loved the clouds. He enjoyed the breath of the morning, of twilight, the wind, the winding streams. He loved to look at the sea when the wind and waves burst into white-caps of joy. He loved the fields, the hills. He was acquainted with trees, with birds, with all the beautiful objects on the earth. And he saw not only those objects, but understood their meaning. And he used them that he might exhibit his heart to his fellowmen.

He was also the poet of love. He was not ashamed of that divine passion that has built every home in the world—that painted every picture and given us every real great work of art; that divine passion that has made the world worth living in and and gives some value to human life.

He was the poet of the natural and taught men not to be ashamed of that which is natural.

He was not only the poet of love—not only the poet of democracy—not only the poet of the great republic—he was the poet of the race everywhere. He was not confined to the limits of this country, but his sympathy went out over the seas to all the nations of the earth. He stretched forth his hand and he felt himself the equal of all kings and of all princes and the brother of all men, no matter how high, no matter how low.

He has uttered more supreme words than any writer of our century, and possibly of almost any other. He was above all things a man. And above genius, above all the snow capped peaks of intelligence, above all of art, rises the true man—greater than all. He was a true man. And he walked among his fellow men as such.

You know better than I what his life has been.

Frank, candid, pure, serene, noble. And yet for years and years he was maligned and slandered, simply because he had the candor of nature. He will be understood yet, and that for which he was condemned—that is, his frankness, his candor—will add to the glory and the greatness of his fame.

He was not afraid to live, nor afraid to speak his thoughts. Neither was he afraid to die. For many years he and death lived near neighbors. He was always ready to meet and greet this thing called death. And for many months he sat in the deepening twilight waiting for the night—waiting for the light. In his brain were the blessed memories of the day, and in his heart were mingled the dawn and dusk of life. He was not afraid—cheerful every moment, the laughing nymphs of day did not desert him. They remained that they might clasp the hand of the veiled and silent sisters of the night when they should come. And when they did come Walt Whitman stretched out his hands to both—on one side to the nymphs of day, on the other to the silent sisters of the night. And so, hand in hand, between smiles and tears, he reached his journey's end. From the frontier of life; from the western wave-kissed shore, he sent us messages of content and hope. And those messages seem now like music blown by the mystic Trumpeter from death's pale realm.

To-day we give back to mother nature, to her clasp and kiss, one of the bravest, sweetest souls that ever lived in clay. Charitable as the air and generous as nature—negligent of all except to do and say what he believed he should do and should say. And I, to-day, thank him not only for you, but for myself, for all the brave words he has uttered. I thank him to-day for all the great and splendid words he has said in favor of liberty, in favor of man and woman, in favor of motherhood, in favor of fathers, in favor of children. And I thank him for the brave words he has said on the subject of death. Since he has lived death is less fearful than it was before, and thousands and millions will walk down into the dark valley of the shadow holding Walt Whitman by the hand long after we are dead. The brave words he has spoken will sound like trumpets to the dying.

And so I lay this poor wreath upon this great man's tomb. I loved him living, and I love him still.

Col. John F. Bruton will deliver the annual literary address before the students of the Greensboro Female College on the 25th of May.

Oh! What a Cough.

Will you heed the warning—the signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease, Consumption? Ask yourselves if you can afford, for the sake of saving 50c., to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a Million Bottles were sold the past year. It relieves croup and whooping cough at once. Mothers, do not be without it. For lame back, side or chest use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by A. J. Cook & Co.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

P. T. BARNUM AND FRANK LESLIE.

A Tinge of Romance Connected with the Lives of Some Noted People.

[New York Cor. Richmond Dispatch.]

It is not generally known that the late great showman, P. T. Barnum, was the starter of Carter in this country. Henry Carter was a bright young Englishman, who was an excellent draughtsman, and had besides a good deal of genuine go-ahead in him. He had used the name of "Frank Leslie" as a signature to his sketches in London, and soon after he came to this country he took the pains to legally make it his name.

Almost his first employer in this city was Barnum, who, prompted by Leslie, bought it would be a good speculation, as well as a medium for extensively advertising the "American Museum," then on the site now covered by the beautiful *Herald* building, to start an illustrated paper. It was of the size of the *Illustrated London News*, and was called, I think, the *Illustrated New York News*. It lived long enough to sink in that bottomless pro found, from which no dollar returns, many thousands of the museum made money. But it eventually led, with Barnum's assistance, to Frank Leslie's individual venture in illustrated journalism. No business relations between Barnum and Leslie, though they were at the considerable cost of the genial showman, ever disturbed the friendly intercourse of the two men. Barnum was ready at any time to be Leslie's banker, for he was an admirable judge of men—that goes without saying—and he had well founded faith in Leslie's integrity and eventful business success.

In the summer of 1867 a journalistic friend of mine spent a month or more with P. T. Barnum in his new house, "Waldmere," on the Sound shore at Bridgeport. I hold my friend responsible for the story that during the same summer Mr. and Mrs. E. George Squier sojourned in a pleasant cottage at Stamford, within easy drive of Bridgeport. To this charming cottage the late Barnum was an occasional visitor, and he went over especially to visit his friend, Frank Leslie, who was a summer boarder with the Squier family at such times as he could get away from his business in town. E. George Squier was then, as the Yankee's say, "getting pretty well along," though he was not getting along well, for he had long been a sufferer from chronic rheumatism and doublecan rum—from which he eventually passed into peace—and he could do nothing toward the "support of the family."

A convenient Connecticut divorce enabled Mrs. Squier about 1870 to become Mrs. Frank Leslie. Mrs. Leslie's career from her first to her fourth marriage has been as romantic as it was remarkable, and it is evidence of the sound common sense for which she is distinguished that she has escaped anything approaching scandal. This common sense is as conspicuous as it is commendable in her shrewd avoidance of any matrimonial entanglement with any of the "Marquises" or other adventurers who wanted her money more than herself. She knows her own business best, for she is eminently a first-rate business woman; but her friends, of whom she has hosts, believe that her latest marriage will prove her best, as she has secured for a husband a gentleman whose journalistic ability will be of great worth to her in her numerous publications, and whose assured family position abroad will give his wife, in her frequent visits to London, that solid social standing which she has failed to fully secure in this city. That failure is believed to have been almost wholly from her own desire, for Mrs. Frank Leslie has been quite too busy to find time for the frivolous enjoyments of even the "Four Hundred." She does not seem to have attracted the attention of Ward McAllister.

A Child's Early Influences.

[Housekeeper.]

Nothing is so easily spoiled as a child. Walk with your little babe a few nights when you wish to put it to sleep; or accustom it to rocking, then attempt to put it to sleep without this habit, and see how difficult it will be to get it to sleep. The parent must from the beginning of the child's existence do those things to which the child is to conform. It is allowing children to have their own way during the first few years of their lives that makes them so hard to control. Before they are able to talk they are being molded by the actions of those around them.

It is therefore highly important that from the beginning the best influence and example should be about the child. It is a serious mistake in parents to commit their children wholly into the hands of a nurse. No parent can afford to do this, even though they have a very kind and careful nurse. Every mother desires that her child bear the impress of her own image. This cannot be when it is with the nurse more than with the mother.

Few people have any idea of the extent of the part performed by nurses in the formation of society. Many a mother wonders where her son or daughter learned these things, or formed that habit, or heard such and such an expression. Let her listen a few minutes at the nursery door and all will be made plain.

A Wonder Worker.

Mr. Frank Huffman, a young man of Burlington, Ohio, states that he had been under the care of two prominent physicians, and used their treatment until he was not able to get around. They pronounced his case to be Consumption and incurable. He was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, and at that time was not able to walk across the street without resting. He found, before he had used half of a dollar bottle, that he was much better; he continued to use it, and is to-day enjoying good health. If you have any Throat, Lung or Chest Trouble try it. We guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free at B. E. Sedberry & Son's Drug Store.

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well-known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist, and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system, and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers.—For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters.—Entire satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.—Price 50 cts. and $1.00 per bottle, at B. E. Sedberry & Son's Drug Store.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.

For Sale by B. E. Sedberry, & Son, Fayetteville, N. C.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

COMMERCIAL DIRECTORY

—OF THE—

LIVE BUSINESS HOUSES IN FAYETTVILLE.

FOR THE GUIDANCE AND DIRECTION OF VISITORS TO THE CITY, AND CUSTOMERS IN CUMBERLAND AND ADJOINING COUNTIES OF NORTH AND SOUTH CAROLINA.

DRY GOODS.

F. W. Thornton,
Largest Dry Goods Establishment in the State.
Wholesale Department 2nd and 3rd floors.
Nos. 7 and 9 Hay. 34 Hay and 1 Donaldson Sts.

Williams's Metropolitan Racket Store,
Dry Goods and Notions of every description and quality.
Hats, - Shoes, - Etc.

C. H. Calais & Co.,
Clothing, Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Notions.
Hay Street.

Max. Jackson,
Person Street,
Dry Goods, Clothing, Trunks, Valises, Boots and Shoes.

DRUGS, ETC.

H. R. Horne,
DRUGS, MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, SEEDS, TOILET ARTICLES, &c.,
23 Hay Street.
Soda Water and Milk Shakes in season.

A. J. Cook & Co.,
Druggists and Pharmacists,
Paints and Oils, Garden Seeds.

W. C. McDuffie, Jr.,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Window-Glass, Garden-Seeds, etc.

CLOTHING.

Novitzky & Bro.,
The Fayetteville Clothiers. Gents' Furnishings, Stylish Suits, Hats Underwear, Collars, Cuffs, etc.

Geo. Rosenthal,
Hay Street.
Gent's Furnishings, Stylish Ready-made Clothing, Hats, Shoes, etc., for Men and Boys.

W. A. Crawford,
Merchant Tailor,
Hay St., Hotel LaFayette Building, Next to Postoffice.

The Racket Clothing Co.,
The Greatest Combine of them All.
They give you Novelty, Neatness, Durability, Style and Cheapness.

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, ETC.

W. N. Tillinghast,
Hay Street.
Crockery and Glassware, Lamps, Cutlery, etc. Wall-Paper and Window-Shades.

JEWELRY.

Frank Beasley,
Dealer in
Fine Jewelry, Watches, Clocks and Spectacles.
Repairing done in best manner and warranted. Engraving finely executed.

J. J. Whaley,
Hay Street,
Watchmaker and Jeweler.
Spectacles, Eyeglasses, Jewelry, Watches, Clocks and Silverware, Pocket-knives, Razors, Scissors, etc.

FURNITURE.

S. Sheetz & Sons,
(Established 1870)
Furniture Dealers and Undertakers.

W. B. LaFar,
Haigh Building, Opp. A. B. Williams, No. 57 Hay St.
Furniture, Matresses, Clocks, Lamps, Shades and Tin Sets.

INSURANCE.

H. I. McDuffie,
Thornton Block,
Fire, Life and Accident Insurance.

Jno. A. Pemberton,
Fire, Life and Accident Insurance.
Hotel LaFayette Building.

Geo. A. Thomson,
General Insurance Agent—Life, Accident and Fire.

John Underwood,
General - Insurance - Agent,
Gillespie Street.

GROCERIES.

Chas. Haigh,
Dealer in
Groceries, Wagon, Cart and Buggy Material.

R. M. Nimocks,
No. 10 Hay Street,
Grocer and Commission Merchant.
Cotton, Naval Stores, Fertilizers, Wagons, etc.
A. E. Rankin A. H. Slocomb. S. C. Rankin.

A. E. Rankin & Co.,
Wholesale Grocers,
Person Street.
Q. K. Nimocks. R. M. Nimocks.

Q. K. Nimocks & Co.,
No. 7, Gillespie St.,
Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

A. Garrason,
Heavy and Fancy Groceries, Foreign and Domestic Fruits, Tobacco, Cigars, etc.

Walter Watson's Family Grocery,
W. W. COLE, Manager, Person Street.
Fine Family Groceries and Farm Supplies.
Highest market prices paid for Country Produce, Poultry, etc.

Robert M. Prior,
Person Street,
Fine Family Groceries all the Year Round. Canned Goods, Poultry and Country Produce.

A. S. Huske, Agt.,
Shipper of the
Celebrated Scuppernong Grape, and Dealer in Staple and Fancy Groceries and Fine Confections.

S. G. Ayer,
Person St.,
Groceries and Provisions, Fruits, Vegetables and Confectionary.

A. H. Watson,
No. 56, S. W. Jamb Market Square,
Groceries, Confectionaries, Fruits and Home-made Candies.

B. G. Hollingsworth,
51 Person Street,
Wholesale and Retail Grocer and Provision Dealer.

Jos. P. Cook,
N. E. Jamb Market Square,
Dealer in Heavy and Fancy Groceries, Fruits and Vegetables.
The well-known Tidal Wave Flour a specialty. Free delivery in the city.

S. A. Phillips,
Person Street,
Dealer in General Merchandise.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A. B. Williams,
Commission Merchan, Buyer of Cotton and Naval Stores, and Dealer in Hair, Lime, Plaster and Cement.

Pemberton's Book & Music House,
Headquarters for School and Office Supplies, Stationery, etc.
Organs and Pianos sold on the Installment Plan.

Fayetteville Printing & Publishing Co.
Letter- and Bill-Heads, Statements, Checks, Drafts, Handbills, Circulars, Invitations, Books, Pamphlets, Newspapers.

B. R. Taylor,
Person Street,
Merchandise Broker and Commission Merchant.

T. S. Lutterloh,
Dealer in
Shoes, Hides, Furs, Wool, etc.

Martin House,
—BY—
Jno. M. Martin, - - - Old Street.
Well located for commercial travelers and the general traveling public. Table supplied with best the market affords. Rates reasonable.

N. Ingram,
Manufacturer of Sausage.
Butcher and Dealer in Fresh Meats of all Kinds, Fish, etc.
At my Restaurant at junction of Dick and Person Streets meals will be served at any and all hours during the day, and until 9 o'clock at night.

HARNESS.

C. P. Overby,
Harness, Bridles, Saddles, Whips, etc.

H. Whaley,
Harness, Saddles, Bridles and Whips, Collars and Robes. A Good Assortment on hand for Sale Cheap for Cash.
Remember the place: Hay Street.

MANUFACTURING.

Fayetteville Cotton Seed Oil Mill,
Railroad Street,
Manufactures Cotton-Seed Meal and Crude Oil.
Pays highest market price for cotton-seed.
Dr. J. W. McNeill, Pres. J. T. Denny, Supt.
C. L. Taylor, Sec. & Treas.

Fayetteville Wooden Ware Co.,
Manufacturers of
The "Iron-Bound" Well Bucket, Oak and White Cedar Ware.

Beaver Creek and Bluff Mills,
H. W. Lilly, President,
Manufacturers of "Lake George" AA 4-4 Sheeting, Cotton Yarn and Batting.

J. P. Thomson, Pres. A. A. McKethan, Sec. & Treas.

Fayetteville Cotton Mills,
Manufacturers of Cotton Warp and Soft Spun Skein Yarns.

Fayetteville Cedar Works,
A. A. McKethan, Jr., Prop.,
Manufacturer - of - Cedar - Ware.
We make a specialty of two- and three-hoop Brass Cedar Pails, and Keg-shape Oak Well Buckets.

Fayetteville Ice Co.,
Donaldson Street,
Manufacturers of and Dealers in Ice all the year round.

Goodwin & Remsburg,
Fayetteville Granite and Marble Works.
Estimates furnished on application, and correspondence solicited.

Walter Watson,
Dealer in
Hardware, Guns and Pistols. Cart and Buggy Material a Specialty.

McMillan Bros.,
Manufacturers of
The Seamless Turpentine Still, and General Metal Workers.

A. A. McKethan, Jr.
Carriages, Buggies and Harness.
Person Street.

Merchant Mills,
JAS. D. MCNEILL, Proprietor.
Grain, Meal, Flour, Mill-Stuffs and Feed.

Carolina Machine Company,
Engines, Boilers, etc. Repairing a Specialty.

LIVERY STABLES.

J. A. Lambeth,
Rear Hotel LaFayette,
Livery, Feed and Sale Stables.
Stalls for rent at 10c. per night. Special accommodations for drummers. Buggies for sale cheap. Cash system.

Ransom Burns,
Livery, Feed and Exchange Stables.
Gillespie Street.

Geo. A. Burns,
In rear Hotel LaFayette,
Livery, Feed and Sale Stables.
Best and most stylish turnouts, on short notice.

J. M. Martin,
Old Street,
Livery and Feed Stables in Connection with Hotel.
Good serviceable turnouts at livery prices.

J. R. M'Neill & Son,
Undertakers and Cabinet Makers, Window Cornices, Picture Frames, Mirror Plates, etc.

WINES, LIQUORS, ETC.

W. J. McDonald,
Wholesale Dealer and Jobber in
Tobacco, - Snuffs - and - Cigars,
Pure Wines and Liquors for medicinal purposes a specialty. N. E. Corner Market Square and 2 and 4 Green Street.

E. L. Clark,
Opp. Short Cut Depot.
Wines, Liquors, Tobacco, Cigars, etc.
Agent for Bay View Beer and Mountain Whiskies.
Orders Promptly Filled.

Jno. M. Martin,
Person Street,
Wines, Liquors, Brandies and Pure Mountain Corn Whisky.
All grades of Tobacco, Cigars, etc.

J. A. Burns & Co.,
Gillespie St.
Foreign and Domestic Wines, Liquors, Beer, Cigars, etc.
Pure old North Carolina Corn Whiskey.

THE OBSERVER.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., APRIL 21, 1892.

Z. W. WHITEHEAD, Editor.

Z. W. WHITEHEAD, SOLE OWNER.

Established in 1825 by E. J. Hale, Sr.

"IN UNITY THERE IS STRENGTH."

The Reidsville *Review* is disposed to condemn and criticise Hon. A. H. A. Williams, of Granville, at present member of Congress from the 5th district, for speaking, or being advertised to speak, at Yanceyville a few days ago, ostensibly because President Polk of the Alliance was billed to speak there at the same time, and in this condemnation, by innuendo and otherwise, some of our exchanges seemingly rejoice, clandestinely giving it their approval, at which we are constrained to feel a degree of surprise; for, to know "Baldy" Williams as the writer does, it would be the essence of folly and the froth of madness to charge him directly or indirectly with being treacherous to the Democratic party or deryliet in his duty to uphold its unspotted banner before the world. Having been weighed in the scales of Democracy before, and not found wanting, we are disposed to take a more charitable view of Mr. Williams's action in this instance, and to regard it more in the light of an effort to offset, with simon-pure Democratic doctrine, whatever bad influences Col. Polk might have exercised over the people of that community in his defense and promulgation of the sophistries and rainbow chasings of the Third Party.

That Mr. Williams has recently introduced rather a wild-cat scheme in the House for more money, to better the unfortunate condition of the people of this country, for argument's sake we are willing to concede; but let us believe, at least until convinced to the contrary, that in this matter Mr. Williams was prompted by no other motive than the establishment beyond peradventure in the minds of the people that the one object and desire of the Democratic party is to give relief to the toiling masses, and in which he was in hearty accord; that when the last Democratic State convention adopted resolutions, and went on record as favoring an increase in the volume of currency, it did so in good faith. Let us therefore be slow to adopt any proscriptive methods for the guidance and direction of Democracy this year; let us surrender none of the time-honored and blood-bought principles of our forefathers, but if we would ask and petition conservatism and moderation in all things at the hands of the Alliance wing of the Democracy, let us be first and not charry to set the example.

In the unbounded wisdom of the people of North Carolina we have always had an abiding faith, and though the clouds may look dark and muddy to-day, and the muttering thunders of discord heard in the land, we prefer to believe in the old proverb that the "darkest hour is just before day," and that when the issues upon which Alliance Democrats and non-Alliance Democrats are about to stand divided, are discussed in the light of reason and argument the fallacy and vagaries of the Third Party will be explained away and disappear as mist before the rain, leaving the old cankered remains of the Republican party, which has so many times since the war adroitly sought to ingratiate itself back into the confidence of the people, laid bare to the gaze and contempt of all mankind.

Therefore to those who are to-day counselling the "hard-fisted yeomanry" of the country to cut loose from their Democratic moorings and follow after strange gods, "be sure that your sins will find you out."

For the preservation, then, of the institutions of the land, and the perpetuation of the Democratic party and its plan of relief, we plead with our people to stand shoulder to shoulder and touch elbow to elbow in the coming contest.

SHAME UPON YOU.

It is hard indeed we confess for any self-respecting man to believe that North Carolina ever produced such a Benedict Arnold, but herewith appended is a quotation from one of Thos. Dixon's recent discourses:

"You say, suppose the Confederacy had succeeded? I tell you it would have blasted and blighted this whole country and paralyzed civilization. Here liberty took its stand, and at Appamattox Court House it succeeded, after the most desperate crisis in its history. * * The position of the South was radically wrong, though it had the authority of the constitution. The constitution was a 'league with hell,' as Mr. Seward declared, and the purpose of the South was inconsistent with the cause for which it fought."

Anent the above intemperate language it may not be amiss for us as "native and to the manor born," and to some extent familiar with Mr. Dixon's brief career, to say that he is everywhere recognized in North Carolina as a man who never permits an opportunity to slip to make an ass of himself on all questions both public and private, and in this instance he sustains well his merited reputation.

If our memory is not at fault, this identical Tom made what he and his friends were then pleased to term the "speech of his life," in Raleigh a few years ago, on the Confederacy and the maimed and surviving heroes of the Army of Northern Virginia," in the course of which he pathetically plead for and urged the passage of a bill then pending in the General Assembly of North Carolina for pensioning ex-Confederate soldiers, disabled from active service by wounds received in the late war, etc. If the cause is now, only a few years later, "radically wrong and a league with hell," how could he see it in the light of such grandeur then? Shame upon him who would "befoul his own nest," traduce and malign the "flesh of his flesh and blood of his blood." And for this effort to gain popularity by fanning the dying embers of the late unpleasantness, in a community which forsooth he thinks is in sympathy with such bloody-shirt rot, Mr. Dixon deserves the condemnation of every honorable man, woman and child, North and South.

Yea, he who would fain feed upon the abimosities of the late war for self aggrandizement, inflame and poison the minds of a generation and people who have long since accepted the common heritage of "peace on earth, good will toward men," resorts to such tactics and measures scarcely less diabolical in purport than John Brown in his famous raid at Harper's Ferry, and but little if any better than Sherman's memorable "march to the sea," when he and his bummers, without the fear of man or the devil, run rough-shod over helpless women and children and defenceless old men, leaving only devastation, ruin and degradation to mark his path. Let North Carolina spew this "wandering sheep from the scattered fold" out of her mouth, and if possible banish him from the State with the mark of Cain.

OBSERVATIONS.

Ed. Chambers Smith, of Raleigh, D. Worthington, of Union, F. I. Osbourn, of Mecklenburg, and J. Y. Pettigrew, of Northampton, have already entered the fight for Attorney-General honors at the next Democratic State Convention, with a few more counties to hear from.

* * *

The Democrats are growing more hopeful every day of carrying Illinois in November next.

* * *

Senator John M. Palmer, of Illinois, is a great States'-rights man—another evidence of his good sense and sterling worth.

* * *

Winston-Salem entertained the Frank Leslie-Wilde party in grand style last week.

* * *

John Nichols, of Raleigh, now "bobs up serenely" as the Republican candidate for Governor.

* * *

Col. Julian S. Carr, of Durham, is being mentioned for Gubernatorial honors.

* * *

In the death of Dr. B. F. Marable, at Duplin Roads last week, Wilmington Presbytery loses one of its strongest pillars, the Presbyterian Church of which he was a life-long member, a zealous advocate, and the faith in which he lived and died, a fearless expounder to the last. Thus a good man—a theological scholar indeed, passeth away.

* * *

It is now given out that the Prohibitionists, otherwise known as the cold-water delegation, will put out a State ticket this year. "Anything Lord" to defeat the Democratic party in November is the watchword of the Republican party, which may be relied upon to present itself in the approaching campaign, like Satan of old, under various disguises to tempt the peoply and allure them away from the paths of righteousness.

* * *

To the public utterances, in another column, of Hon. Elias Carr, of Edgecombe, we direct the attention of our readers this week, in and out of the Alliance. Truly they are "worthy of all acceptation."

ISSUES OF THE DAY.

Dr. R. L. Abernethy, of Rutherford College, has issued his pronunciamento, setting forth the fact that he will be a candidate for the office of State Superintendent of Public Instruction for North Carolina, before the next Democratic State Convention at Raleigh, May 18th. If our memory is not at fault this is the same Dr. R. L. Abernethy who was nominated for the same office four years ago or more on the Prohibition ticket, and who never found it convenient to resign until he was convinced that that party would scarcely poll a corporals guard vote in the State, assigning, however, as his reason that the Prohibition party rather strongly endorsed woman's suffrage, to which he was opposed. If so the Doctor is not the kind of a Democrat we are looking for. No political weathercock in ours.

PUBLIC OPINION.

The men who are attempting to lead the Alliance men of North Carolina into the third party, either by the direct route or the round about way, are not only false to North Carolina but to the Alliance men whose friends they pretend to be. They know as well as they know which end they are standing on that North Carolina was saved from mongrel rule by the united efforts of the patriotic white men of the State, and they know, that she has been kept out of Radical clutches by their united efforts.—*Wilmington Star.*

The letter of Elias Carr, Esq., of Edgecombe, published yesterday morning, is creditable to him as a Democrat, an Alliancemen and a North Carolinian. If the conservative men of the Alliance, of which he is a type, would assert themselves, they could easily clear up the present complications in our politics. The extremists, however, do all the talking and all the writing and all the "resoluting," and it is not unnatural, either, that the public judges the order by the utterances of those who speak, or that the rank and file is influenced by the extreme element in the order, so long as the conservative element remains passive. A great opportunity spreads out before these gentlemen. The good effect of Mr. Carr's letter is not to be doubted.—*Charlotte Observer.*

Two conventions of the Republican party have been in session in this city during the past two days, and the sentiment that dominated both was one of rejoicing at the apparent trouble in the Democratic party. There is no discounting the enthusiasm of the State convention, and the unanimous endorsement of Harrison's administration by it, with instructions to the delegates to the National Republican convention to vote for his renomination, shows that the Republican party of North Carolina is in full accord with Harrison and his Congress, under the leadership of Reed and the odious and oppressive measures they forced through the last House, and which would have placed armed sentinels around the ballot box in the South, at the November election, had it not been for the opposition of Democratic Senators.—*Raleigh State Chronicle.*

When the St. Louis platform was first given out the Union soldier action was given as one of the planks. It was afterwards stated in the South, and particularly urged in North Carolina, that it was NOT a plank in the platform but was adopted as a separate resolution. As a practical matter it does not make a paticle of difference which of these statements is true, for whichever is, the fact cannot be and is not disputed that the committal by the St. Louis meeting of itself to the proposition was full and without reserve. But it is important to know whether or not somebody has been falsifying about the matter and whether or not the proceedings of that meeting were doctored after the adjournment, and the platform and resolutions sent out to the North and West in one form and to the South in another. We are gathering testimony on this point and in a little while will collate and present it. As a matter of fact, the Union soldier expression was adopted as a plank in the platform. The proofs are overwhelming and Annanias business cannot rub them out.—*Charlotte Observer.*

The speeches before the Democratic Executive Committee of Iredell county Wednesday, by Hon. A. Leazar and T. J. Williams, Esq., an Alliance Democratic member of the Legislature, nominated and elected as such, are hopeful indications. It was not to have been expected by any one who knows them that either would embrace the vagaries of the St. Lious meeting, and the particular course for congartulation is that they have come out boldly and expressed their disapprobation of such doctrine.—*Charlotte Observer.*

Amid all the variations of our changing political situation it is well to bear always strongly in mind that the Alliance is not the Third party. Alliancemen may be Republicans, Third party men or Democrats. But the great bulk of them have heretofore been Democrats, and we hope that they will remain faithful members of our party. The county Alliances are, however, adopting demands, and in some instances pledging themselves not to vote for any one who does not stand on these demands. And yet we feel quite certain that the great bulk of these men have no purpose to go off into the Third party, and will not be led astray by designing leaders.—*Raleigh News and Observer.*

MR. ELIAS CARR

Repudiates the St. Louis Platform—He Will Not be Put in a False Position.

To the Editor of the Tarboro Southerner:

Mr. M. J. Battle, in his communication to the *Southerner* of the 5th inst., states that "in no particular does the St. Louis platform differ from the Ocala platform," and further asks "if Elias Carr will repudiate his own handiwork?" I simply desire to call Mr. B.'s attention to two planks of each platform as paralleled below:

OCALA, 1890.	ST. LOUIS, 1892.
1 (a). "That our National legislation shall be so framed in future as not to build up one industry at the expense of an other.	1. SILENT AS THE TOMB.
(b). "We further demand a removal of the existing heavy tariff tax from the necessities of life that the poor of our land must have.	
2. "We demand the most rigid, honest and just State and National government control and supervision of the means of public communication and transportation, and if this control and supervision does not remove the abuse now existing we demand of the government such means of communication and transportation."	2. "Transportation being a means of exchange and and a public necessity, the government should 'own' and 'operate' the railroads in the interest of the people. "The telegraph and telephone, like the postoffice system, being a necessity for the transmission of news, should be 'owned' and 'operated' by the government in the interest of the people."

These (Ocala) demands were subsequently engrafted into the State Democratic platform, and later re-enacted at Indianapolis. I had the honor to be upon the committee at Ocala that formulated them, reporting unanimously upon these two planks. As yet I have seen no authority or reason for eliminating these planks from the Alliance platform, while on the contrary abundant reason for not endorsing a party which is putting the Alliance in an inconsistent and false attitude by demanding ownership after securing National and State governmental control of railroads, and completely ignoring the tariff question, that most important of all reform measures, the present status of which makes possible all trusts and combines that enrich the few and impoverish the many.

Truly yours,
ELIAS CARR.

A Warning.

WILSON, N. C.—Not long since Mr. C. A. Young, to save a lot of road fencing, had two gates built across the road about four miles from town, on each side of his large farm. This greatly incensed some people in the neighborhood of his farm, and the gates were torn down. This occurred repeatedly, and notices were posted warning him the last time, ten days ago, that if they were rebuilt some of his property would be burned and his life endangered. The gates were promptly rebuilt, and on Friday night of last week his tobacco pack-house was burned, entailing a loss of $12,000. No one knows who did the dastardly deed, of course. It seems that some parties were suspected, for on last Saturday night about 10 o'clock a man rode to the house of Mr. O. W. Spivey, an estimable farmer and citizen of the county, who lives two miles from the farm of Mr. Young, and handed him a folded paper.

A STRANGE NOTICE.

On opening it Mr. Spivey found it to read as follows:

"*O. W. Spivey:*

"You, we believe, know all about the meanness that is going on in your neighborhood, and now for the last time we want to warn you, and now say positively that if any more *gates* are cut down, or anybody injured in any way bodily, according to threats made heretofore, we tell you *not* a hundred of us, as you say you are, but only twenty-one, have entered into a body and taken an oath to go to your house and hang you by the neck till you are dead, and six or more of your friends we will treat the same way. Now you can take heed in time. We will do you no harm if no other damage is done; but if it is, every word in this letter will be carried out to the letter.

"We send this and put it in your hands, as we want to give you a fair chance for your life and that of your friends. We have allowed you to go on unmolested until now, and you are at the end of your row, and you will find it out quickly if any other depredations are made in any shape *whatever*.

"TWENTY-ONE MEN
OF THE TOWN OF WILSON."

Coming Down to One Issue.

Raleigh News Observer.]

The Third party makes no point against the abominable tariff and Col. Polk and his associates laugh at the great struggle the Democrats have made to reform that evil. It is nothing, they say.

And Col. Polk and his right hand man, Macune, tell us in the National Economist that the free coinage of silver will be of no great avail to the people.

The sub-treasury plan has been virtually thrown overboard and abandoned.

Mr. Butler decares that most of the railroad commissions are useless because the commissioners are bought up by the railroads.

What then is the great redress which the people are to have for their serious grievances?

It seems to be whittled down to this: Let the government own all the railroads! We wonder if some broken down railroad corporations have set this idea afloat so as to get their money back?

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

Eaves Re-Elected Chairman of the State Committee—A Wild Convention—Mott's Terrific But Unavailing Fight—Eaves Tells of Democratic Dissension—Delegates to Minneapolis and Presidential Electors.

RALEIGH, N. C., April 14.—At 12:30 o'clock Chairman Eaves called the Republican State convention to order. The seats for delegates were about four-fifths filled. There were more white men present than at any convention of the party in years. Eaves said the party was now on the edge of victory. In the western part of the State the Democratic party was torn all to pieces. He believed the white Alliancemen, whom he eulogised, would join with the Republicans in procuring local self-government. He believed that if the Republicans stood together this year they would get a victory. He said he agreed with Buttler, of the State Alliance, that there was a crisis in politics, and called on all the counties to harmonize all interests and work together as Republicans—to stand to their principles and not give up a plank in their platform, national or State. The Republicans must drop all such sayings as "this county or that county is run by niggers." He asked that they drop the word "niggers" for five years. He said he honestly believed the Alliance was in earnest in its efforts and if the Democratic party did not yield the Alliance would give it trouble.

James H. Young (colored) was made temporary chairman.

The committee on credentials was out many hours settling three county contests. The Brady men got in from Mecklenburg and the Scurlock men from Cumberland.

While the committee was out speeches were made by H. P. Cheatham, Geo. H. White, Oscar J. Spears, Spencer Blackburn, John C. Dancy and John H. Williamson. The latter used some strong language and exposed some plans. He observed that all the speakers who had eulogized Harrison at the convention were office-holders. The convention had, it seemed, assembled to mark out a policy. He did not at first know this but thought it was only called to nominate delegates. He declared that there was in progress a great conflict between the Alliancemen and the Democrats and that the right thing to do was to give these an opportunity to divide.

There arose a row, growing out of Williamson's remark as to Harrison's champions being office-holders. There was fist shaking and hard words. There soon developed great bitterness between the Eaves and Mott factions. This was sometimes supressed, but was really the keynote of the whole convention. Every time Harrison's name or the McKinley bill were mentioned there were cheers.

V. S. Lusk, of Buncombe, was made permanent chairman.

There was a fight over an attempt to elect the chairman of the committee before electing delegates to the nominating convention. At 7 o'clock the delegates were elected—H. P. Cheatham, by acclamation, M. A. White, J. C. Pritchard and J. C. Dancy. Each of these four disputes electors at large were chosen: Spencer Blackburn, of Ashe, and C. M. Bernard, of Greenville.

Then the great fight of the day began over the electing of the chairman of the State committee. J. B. Eaves and V. S. Lusk were nominated. There was a scene of wild confusion. Mott defied the convention and charged that in Rutherford county Eaves had cut Charles Price's name from the ticket and dared Eaves to deny it. Eaves did not speak, but one of his men said Price had never voted the Republican ticket unless he did so at the last election. As a result of the vote, Eaves got 167 votes and Mott 50. Lusk declared the election of Eaves unanimous and the convention backed him.

It was repeatedly said by the speakers that the convention was the most disorderly ever known in North Carolina. There is great bitterness of feeling. There was much talk of the Third party and the Alliance, and Mott threatened to put a State ticket in the field.

Your correspondent to-night interviewed Collector White, of the fourth, and Collector Rollins of the fifth, North Carolina revenue districts, in regard to Secretary Foster's statement as to delegates to the national convention. They tell me that at a meeting of all the collectors, held at Washington, Secretary Froster informed them that he did not wish them to figure at the conventions, saying he did not desire delegates there with government commissions in their pockets. The Secretary had ascertained the intense feeling by the party against a convention controlled by office-holders.

NO THIRD PARTY FOR THEM.

Georgia County Alliances Ordered to Rescind Endorsement of the Third Party.

ATLANTA, Ga., April 14.—The State Executive committee of the Georgia State Alliance met here to-night and passed resolutions of great political import to the South. For some time past the county Alliances and sub-Alliances throughout Georgia have been endorsing the People's party movement under direction of leading Alliancemen, who are also Third party leaders. This is in direct conflict with the constitution of the Alliance, which prohibits anything like political action. The State Executive committee, recognizing this, met with Congressman Livingston, President of the Alliance, and unanimously passed a resolution demanding that all Alliances which have been taking such action rescind it promptly or surrender their charters.

Congressman Grady Scores a Victory in the House.

Washington Correspondence.]

Mr. Grady participated in the debate on Tuesday, the consideration of the free cotton ties and bagging bill. In the course of a speech made by Mr. English, of New Jersey, that gentleman said that the moment you withdraw protection of less than two cents a yard you will crush out the bagging manufacturers here, and then you will get your bagging at 6 cents a yard until the manufacturing industries engaged in that line in this country have been entirely driven out.

At the conclusion of this statement Mr. Grady interrupted the speaker with the inquiry: "Did not the quinine manufacturers make the same threat when the proposition was made to take the tariff off quinine, that German and French quinine would come in here and ruin their business, and did they do it?" Continuing, Mr. Grady said that there are six or eight factories now, whereas there had only been three at that time.

Mr. English did not think this a parallel case. Mr. Grady and other members thought it was. Mr. Wheeler, of Alabama, mentioned the fact that a member from Pennsylvania had said in the 47th Congress that if the duty was taken off quinine the Europeans would raise the price, and we would have to pay double, where as we are now paying only about one-fourth as much as before. Mr. Grady plainly got the better of his opponent in the point at issue, and this fact was quite generally conceded.

The same correspondent reports that among the bills introduced by the North Carolina members this week, was one by Mr. Alexander, for the relief of Thomas McBryde, of Robeson county; one by Mr. Branch, for the relief of J. E. Merriam, and one by Mr. Cowles, for the relief of Anna M. Urban, administratrix.

MARRIED.

MOORE—TINDLE—At the residence of the bride's father, James Tindle, Mr. NEWTON MOORE to Miss FANNIE TINDLE, at Hope Mills, No. 2, March 5th, 1892. John Smith, J. P., officiating.

FIELDS—CAMERON—At the residence of the bride's father, J. C. Cameron, Mr. J. H. FIELDS to Miss MOLLIE CAMERON, at Hope Mills No. 2, April 17th, 1892, John Smith, J. P. officiating.

DIED.

PARKER—On the 5th inst., in 71st township, after several months suffering of la grippe, ROSSIE LEE, daughter of S. R. and Amanda Parker, aged 11 years.

One by one they pass away,
For us to meet them on that final day.

RACKLEY—Of bronchitis, April 7th, IDA JANE RACKLEY, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rackley, aged 6 months and 21 days. For days and weeks she born her sufferings with such patience and smiles that it seemed as though she viewed the angels hovering around to bear her to the dear Saviour's arms. Parents weep not over little Ida, for heaven seems dearer to us when we have a loved one there. The Lord had need of the little flower to transplant and bloom in eternal paradise. "Suffer the little children to come unto me and forbid them not."

IN MEMORY OF MAJ. JONATHAN EVANS.

WHEREAS: It has pleased Almighty God to remove from our order Maj. Jonathan Evans, and while we bow in humble submission to the will of an all-wise Providence, we mourn over the loss of his wise counsel and true, genial friendship; therefore be it

Resolved, That Cumberland County Alliance tender their heartfelt sympathy to his bereaved widow and family in their great loss of so true a husband, father and brother.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to his family, also one each to the FAYETTEVILLE OBSERVER, *Progressive Farmer* and *Clinton Caucasian* for publication, and a copy be placed on our minutes out of respect for our beloved brother.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY ALLIANCE.
W. W. AUTRY, Secretary.

"Love and smoke are unable to conceal themselves," and so it is with catarrh. No man suffering from this loathsome disease, can conceal the fact from the world. No matter how cultured, learned, social or brilliant he is—while his friends may be polite enough to dissemble their real feelings—his very company is loathsome. What a blessing it would be to humanity, if every person afflicted with catarrh in the head, could only know that Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy will *positively* and permanently cure the worst case. The manufacturers guarantee to cure every case or forfeit $500. The remedy is pleasant to use, and costs only 50 cents.

Many people who pride themselves on their *blue* blood would be far happier with *pure* blood; but, while we cannot choose our ancestors, fortunately, by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, we can transmit pure blood to our posterity.

On the Threshold.

Standing at womanhood's door is she,
Clad in her virginal purity.
A creature fair as the lilies be,
And, like the lilies, alas, how frail;
They are borne to earth when the storms prevail,
And their life goes out in the summer gale.

When we see a frail and lovely creature, standing on the threshold between girlhood and womanhood, we shiver with a fear of what may be, because we have seen so many succumb at this critical period of life. What is needed at this time is a tonic and invigorant—something that will promote proper functional action of the female organs. The only remedy to be depended on is Dr. Pirce's Favorite Prescription. This unequaled medicine, which cures diseases peculiar to women, is especially valuable at the period when the girl crosses the threshold of womanhood. Used at such a time, it never fails to produce a most beneficial result, and many a fragile girl has been tided over one of life's most trying periods by it.

P. P. P. makes positive cures of all stages of Rheumatism, Syphilis, Blood Poison, Scrofula, Old Sores, Eczema, Malaria and Female Complaint. P. P. P. is a powerful tonic, and an excellent appetizer, building up the system rapidly.

For Old Sores, Skin Eruptions, Pimples, Ulcers and Syphilis, use only P. P. P., and get well and enjoy the blessing only to be derived from the use of P. P. P. (Prickly Ash, Poke Root and Potassium.)

FOR CORNS, WARTS AND BUNIONS,
Use only Abbott's East Indian Corn Paint.

Erysipelas, Swollen Limbs, Bad Sores, Scales and Scabs on the leg have been entirely cured by P. P. P., the most wonderful blood medicine of the day.

A course of P. P. P. will banish all bad feelings and restore your health to perfect condition. Its curative powers are marvelous. If out of sorts and in bad humor with yourself and the world, take P. P. P., and become healthy and rational.

COMMENDABLE.

All claims not consistent with the high character of Syrup of Figs are purposely avoided by the California Fig Syrup Company. It acts gently on the kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the system effectually; but it is not a cure-all, and makes no pretensions that every bottle will not substantiate.

WRITE to Miss S. A. Tillinghast, 425 N. Bloodworth Street, Raleigh, N. C., for any information you wish about the ELECTROPOISE. She can refer you to many of its friends.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Every Month
many women suffer from Excessive or Scant Menstruation; they don't know who to confide in to get proper advice. Don't confide in anybody but try
Bradfield's Female Regulator
a Specific for PAINFUL, PROFUSE, SCANTY, SUPPRESSED and IRREGULAR MENSTRUATION.
Book to "WOMAN" mailed free.
BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.
Sold by all Druggists.

April 16, 1891.

Notice of Sale under Mortgage.

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a deed of mortgage executed by W. B. Faircloth on the 23rd day of January, 1886, recorded in Book D, No. 4, page 484, Register of Deeds office for Cumberland County, we will on

MONDAY, 16th DAY OF MAY, 1892,

at 12 o'clock M., at the Court-House door in Fayetteville, N. C., expose to sale to highest bidder the land therein described, being three (3) tracts of land lying in Cedar Creek township, Cumberland county, adjoining the lands of V. Downing, Wiley Cain and others, containing 721 acres more or less.

Terms of sale are cash, but liberal terms as to payment of part of the purchase money can be arranged by satisfactory purchaser.

H. W. LILLY,
R. T. GRAY,
Executors of E. J. Lilly, deceased.
apl 14, 1892—ts

NOTICE.

My wife, Lizzie Barnett, having left my house without my consent, this is to warn all persons not to harbor or in any way aid or encourage her, as I shall prosecute all who after being notified shall persist in aiding her in remaining away from me.

ALEX. BURNETT.
Fayetteville, N. C., April 7, 1892. 1m

CARTER'S PEPSIN is the safest remedy for weak digestion. Can be taken by the smallest child. For sale by leading druggists. apl 14 - 3m

SYRUP of FIGS

ONE ENJOYS
Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c and $1 bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
LOUISVILLE, KY. NEW YORK, N.Y.

For sale by
B. E. SEDBERRY & SON,
Fayetteville, N. C.

Castoria
For Infants and Children.
Castoria promotes Digestion, and overcomes Flatulency, Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhœa, and Feverishness. Thus the child is rendered healthy and its sleep natural. Castoria contains no Morphine or other narcotic property.

"Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me." H. A. ARCHER, M. D.,
111 South Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

"I use Castoria in my practice, and find it specially adapted to affections of children." ALEX. ROBERTSON, M. D.,
1057 2d Ave., New York.

"From personal knowledge and observation I can say that Castoria is an excellent medicine for children, acting as a laxative and relieving the pent up bowels and general system very much. Many mothers have told me of its excellent effect upon their children." DR. G. C. OSGOOD,
Lowell, Mass

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 Murray Street, N. Y.

W. A. CRAWFORD,
—THE—
Artistic Tailor,
IS THE ONE YOU ARE LOOKING FOR IF YOU WANT A
STYLISH FIT
—AND—
PRICES TO SUIT ALL.

Suits from $18.00 to $25.00.
Pantaloons from $6 to $12.

All I ask is for you to come and be convinced of the fact before buying elsewhere.

MY SPRING STOCK OF GOODS
is now ready for inspection, and in addition to that I will get in every month new goods, and that will enable me to keep always abreast with the latest novelties in
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC WOOLLENS.
As to workmanship and style of my garments I promise that mine cannot be surpassed. I design all of my patterns from actual measurement from the system of the new age.
March 17, 1892. tf

M. JUDGE, Agt.,
Artistic Merchant Tailor,
Overbaugh House, Green Street,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,

I have now on hand a very fine selection of FOREIGN SPRING AND SUMMER WOOLENS from which to select suitings and pantaloons. I also have a fine line of samples, consisting of Novelties and Staples for the spring and summer season.

My work in style, fit and finish I guarantee to be qual to the best, and as for prices I cannot be beat. Sure fit guaranteed or money refunded.

Particular attention given to Cutting, Cleaning, Dyeing and Repairing gentlemen's clothing at reasonable prices.

Prices of Pantaloons range from $6.00 upwards; Suits from $20.00 upwards.

Gentlemen's own material made up in the latest style and at reasonable prices.
Feb'y 25, 1892—tf

Sunnyside (Floral) Nursery,
JAMES M. LAMB, Proprietor.
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., March 31, 1892.

We are still engaged in moving, and still offer Trees, Shrubs and Plants at the *lowest prices* ever offered in North Carolina for *first-class* stock. We would call special attention to our stock of Magnolias, Cape Jasmines, M. Niel Roses and all the choice kinds of Arborvitæs, with a fine collection of everything for the garden and greenhouse.
March 31, 1892—tf

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. | NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Seven Reasons,
The very Strongest, Why All Should Use
"PERFECTION:"
FIRST - It is the whitest.
SECOND - It is the richest.
THIRD - It is the strongest.
FOURTH - It is the sweetest.
FIFTH - It is the livest.
SIXTH -- IT IS THE BEST.
SEVENTH -- IT IS THE CHEAPEST
HIGH-GRADE FLOUR ON THE MARKET.

Bakes more bread, better bread and whiter bread than any other flour. Sold for $1.00 a barrel less than other Patent Flours, and warranted SUPERIOR to any offered. TRY A SAMPLE SACK. It costs you nothing if not in every way satisfactory. Sold and delivered free of extra charge anywhere in the city by

Q. K. NIMOCKS & CO.,
Gillespie Street, Fayetteville, N. C.
March 17th, 1892.

Get Prices on
Pianos and Organs
—FROM—
The North State Music Co.,
CECIL G. STONE, Manager,
RALEIGH, N. C.

SPECIALTIES ARE THE TWO CELEBRATED HIGH GRADE
KRAANCH & BACH and KIMBALL PIANOS
AND THE WORLD-RENOWNED
Kimball Organ.
March 17th, 1892. 1y.

WHAT BEAUTIES!
IS THE EXPRESSION OF ALL WHO HAVE SEEN OUR NEW SPRING INVOICE OF

BABY CARRIAGES.
THEY ARE INDEED BEAUTIES, AND ARE BEING OFFERED AT PRICES HERETOFORE UNHEARD OF IN FAYETTEVILLE.

A GREAT ADVANTAGE
WE OFFER OUR PATRONS IS THAT WE CAN FURNISH ANY REPAIRS FOR OUR CARRIAGES AT SHORT NOTICE.

WE CARRY
IN STOCK AT ALL TIMES SILK AND COTTON LACE PARASOL COVERS, WHICH WILL ADD FIFTY PER CENT. TO THE APPEARANCE OF ANY CARRIAGE.

THE "BOSS"
CLOTHES-HORSE IS THE LATEST NOVELTY.

S. SHEETZ & SONS.
March 17th, 1892.

CAROLINA
-Machine Company-
WANT TO BUY
:-:SECOND-HAND ENGINES:-:
WRITE THEM DESCRIPTION OF WHAT YOU HAVE FOR SALE.
Works and Office, Fayetteville, N. C.
Respectfully,
W. H. RUSSEL, Treas'r.
November 26, 1891.

McCLURE & GRENAMYER.
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,
—MANUFACTURERS OF—
SASH, DOORS AND BLINDS, BEDSTEADS, ETC
WE ARE NOW READY TO OFFER TO THE TRADE A
FULL LINE
Of House-building Material, Sash, Doors, Blinds, Mouldings, Casings, Scroll-work, Turning work, Flooring, Ceiling, Wainscoting and Rough Lumber.
ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED.
Feb'y 4, 1892—tf

BALTO. 1864 SADLER'S BRYANT AND STRATTON COLLEGE
FOUNDED 1864 by the present executive—Occupies four buildings—Unrivalled in facilities for educating YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN for success in life. The outlook for is most favorable for business opportunities. The demand for our graduates is unprecedented. No vacation; pupils can enter at any time with equal advantage. Never attend a school because the tuition is cheap, for CHEAP is very dear. It means cheap surroundings, inferior facilities, and often NO opportunities for securing POSITIONS for its pupils and graduates. This school, owing to its HIGH standard of excellence, has placed in business more young men and women from Md., Va., N. C., S. C. and Ga. than all similar institutions combined. Catalogue and particulars mailed. W. H. SADLER, PRES.—F. A. SADLER, SEC'Y.—BALTIMORE, MD.
Oct. 22, 1891. 6m.

THE OBSERVER.

FAYETTEVILLE N. C.

APPOINTMENTS
of Rev. Dr. J. C. Huske.

St. Joseph's Church (Fayetteville)—1st and 2nd Sundays, 11 A. M., of each month.
Rockfish—3rd Sunday, 11 A. M.
St. Thomas Chapel—4th Sunday, 11 A. M.

THURSDAY.....APRIL 21, 1892.

Third Congressional District Convention at Warsaw, June 20th, 1892.
National Democratic Convention at Chicago, June 22nd, 1892.

The Observer Supplement.

The OBSERVER supplement this week contains some very interesting reading matter, and particulary to those who have not paid their taxes.

New Advertisements.

Read the new advertisements in this issue of Q. K. Nimocks & Co., Carolina Beach, Ayer's Medicines, B. & O. R. R., Dr. Pierce's Dispensary and R. L. Trulove.

Burglars.

Burglars entered Mr. Jas. W. Atkinson's kitchen on Monday night and relieved his pantry of some domestic supplies. We would warn our people to be on the look-out for such midnight operators. There is no better remedy than a well-directed shot-gun, loaded with buckshot.

Carver's Creek Township Meeting.

Mr. A. McBuie, chairman, authorizes us to give notice that there will be a meeting of the Democrats of Carver's Creek township at Kingsbury on Saturday, April 30th, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing delegates to the Democratic Convention to be held in Fayetteville May 7th.

Destructive Wind and Hail Storms.

Parties from Fayetteville temporarily residing in the vicinity of Bennettsville, S. C., report a very destructive wind and hail storm throughout that section last week, leveling fences and trees to the ground, unroofing one or two houses and working great damage to the crops generally.

Dealt With Accordingly.

There seems to be a pretty well grounded opinion among not a few people in Richmond county that the murderer of young farmer Smith, in his barn-yard near Rockingham sometime ago, who at once fled to South Carolina, pursued by a posse of indignant citizens, has long since been caught and dealt with accordingly.

Mad Dog Scare.

For the past few days our community has unhappily been in the throes of a mad dog scare. One or two persons have been bitten or scratched by the wandering canines and possibly one or two horses, all of which has resulted in the killing of a number of worthless curs. Up to this writing no indications of hydrophobia have resulted or been manifested.

A Slight Error.

With reference to the article in last week's OBSERVER about the new chapter in the McDougald trial we should have said the "Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York," instead of the "New York Life Insurance Company," the latter having informed us that they have not contested the payment of a single policy in North Carolina for 26 years, during which time that company has paid out nearly $7-50,000 in the Carolinas.

The Fife-Needham Bible Conference.

Evangelist Fife left Monday for Raleigh, whither he goes to join Rev. Geo. C. Needham in the conduct of a four day's Bible Conference. Thence they go to Charlotte for three days, and back to Fayetteville for a Bible Conference of one week's duration, beginning on next Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Presbyterian Church. These meetings have been a grand success at every point.

Pythian Orchestra.

A Pythian Orchestra is one of the latest acquisitions to the Castle Hall of Cumberland Lodge Knights of Pythias in this city; also the recent organization of a degree team, for conferring the different degrees, with new paraphernalia, etc., all of which contributes very much to the beautiful and impressive ceremonies. New members are being constantly added to the roll-call, and the lodge is otherwise in a flourishing condition.

Memorial Day Orator.

Col. John S. Long, of Newberne, has been selected and will deliver the Memorial address in Fayetteville on the 10th proximo. Col. Long is a charming speaker, an orator of State wide reputation, and surely the Ladies' Memorial Association of Fayetteville is to be congratulated upon the selection of one so accomplished to dwell upon and teach the present generation of the daring bravery and deeds of valor of our Southern soldiers.

I. O. O. F.

Rev. Dr. W. H. Moore will preach a sermon on Odd Fellowship in Hay Street M. E. Church on Sunday evening, 24th inst. at 4 o'clock. All Odd Fellows are respectfully invited to meet at Cross Creek Lodge Room at 3 o'clock P. M. that afternoon, and march in a body to the church. A cordial invitation is extended the people of the community to be present. Dr. Moore is a chaste, ornate and beautiful speaker, and our word for it, you will hear something good.

A Cold-Blooded Murder.

Will McGee and Chas. Bryan were arrested and lodged in jail here Monday, charged with the murder of John Adams, colored of this place, both of whom have since their confinement, confessed their guilt, alleging, however, that it was accidental. The killing was done on Sunday morning about 8 o'clock, some 9 miles below Tatums, in South Carolina, and the story as told by McGee, who did the shooting with a 38 calibre pistol, will hardly bear washing, in view of the fact that a colored woman is alleged to have been at the bottom of the trouble out of which the difficulty arose.

Easter Observations in Fayetteville.

The observance of Easter Sunday at the various churches in Fayetteville this year was impressive, solemn and beautiful; the sermons touching and appropriate and happy in the style of delivery and sentiment.

At St. John's Episcopal Church, the crowd was simply immense, and the joyous festival of Easter, the Queen Sunday of the christian year, was celebrated with peculiarly appropriate ceremonies, commemorative of the ressurrection of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

The services began with the Sabbath-school children marching into the church, bearing flowers and singing carols, followed with some charming music by the choir, a feature of the service which is rarely if ever excelled by churches in much larger towns than Fayetteville, and which in this instantce was well rendered and strikingly suited to the occasion, the choir having been assisted by Mrs. Robinson and Mr. Harry E. Sheetz, in the solo parts. The sermon by the rector, Rev. Thos. Atkinson, setting forth that the Ressurrection is the one great fact upon which the Christian religion is founded, was foreible, interesting and convincing. The floral decorations, though profuse and elaborate, were marked and noticeable by the exquisite beauty and fitness that characterized the work of the ladies of the Altar Guild of St. John's Church.

In the evening Bishop Watson, of this diocese, made his visitation, and preached an able sermon from the text: "If ye be risen with Christ seek those things which are above." After the sermon 27 persons were confirmed.

At the Hay Street M. E. Church the Easter services were more elaborate in many respects than ever before, says our reporter, to whom we are indebted for the following report:

The floral decorations were exquisitely beautiful and extensive, and did great credit to the good taste of the fair hands that arranged them. A brilliant musical programme was impressively rendered by the choir, assisted by other fine voices, all under the direction of Mr. H. R. Novitzky, with Miss Mamie Warwick at the organ.

The plaintive sweetness of the anthem sung at the close of the sermon, brought tears to the eyes of many in the congregation, but they were soon wiped away and we felt like "shouting for joy" when the chorus burst forth with:

"Oh, death! where is thy sting?
Oh, grave! where is thy victory?"

Rev. Dr. Moore, the pastor, seemed to imbibe inspiration from the surroundings, and preached with great force and earnestness one of the grandest Easter sermons the writer has ever heard. His text was from Luke xxiv: 34, "The Lord is risen indeed, and hath appeared to Simon."

The large Church was well-filled with an interested congregation; and the profusion of flowers, spring-dresses, happy faces and joyous music gave a *gala* appearance to the interior, in happy contrast to the weather outside, which presented a threatening aspect throughout the day.

The Easter sermon of Rev. A. J. McKelway, at the Presbyterian Church, was eloquent with facts and scriptural citations to sustain the belief in the resurrection of Christ and His ascension on high, where He sits on the heavenly throne, at the right hand of God, as our Mediator and Redeemer. The music was very good indeed, as were likewise the floral decorations in front of the altar, though there was no special effort at any extra touches for the special observance of the day at this church. Of the Baptist Church may be said the same, though Rev. W. B. Oliver gave his congregation a splendid sermon, as usual.

Fayetteville Entitled to a Free Mail Delivery.

The bill extending the free delivery system to towns of 5,000 population on the basis of Porter's Census Report, or $5,000 annual postal receipts, passed the Senate last Friday, and will become a law, under the provisions of which Fayetteville becomes one of the lucky towns and will, therefore, be entitled to a free mail delivery, a demand which we hope the Postmaster General and his assistants will not be long in supplying. We believe, however, that Porter's census report credits Fayetteville with only about 4,300 people, but a school census taken immediately after Porter's, shows a gain of nearly 1,000 souls. Leaving that part of the claim entirely out of the question Fayetteville would come in for a free delivery under the head of $5,000 postal receipts, the past year showing receipts to the amount of nearly $8,000, a fact we get from Mr. D. F. Wemyss, late postmaster of this place. Hon. B. F. Grady, member of Congress from this district has been written to and apprised of the facts in the case, with the request that he use his best efforts in our behalf.

Installation of Rev. A. J. McKelway.

An adjourned meeting of Fayetteville Presbytery was held in this city yesterday, and last night Rev. A. J. McKelway was duly installed pastor of the Fayetteville Presbyterian Church. The sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. McLauchlin, of Moore county, one of the brightest young preachers in Fayetteville Presbytery, the charge to the pastor was delivered by Rev. Jno. M. Rose, an ornate and charming speaker, and the charge to the people was delivered by Rev. J. M. Clarke, of Robeson, a promising and talented young man.

Despite the bad weather, quite a large crowd assembled to witness the very interesting ceremonies, and we take occasion to say here that Rev. Mr. McKelway has rapidly grown in the estimation of our people from the beginning, and each sermon only adds to his popularity in our midst, thus rendering him a fixture in Fayetteville. The music was grand beyond description, with Mrs. Wilbur Hall as organist.

Maj. W. E. Kyle returned Saturday from New York, and reports everything solid in the Empire State for David B. Hill for President, and no mistake.

HON. JAMES GILLESPIE.

Warrior, Statesman and Prominent among the First Men of his Day.

A correspondent of the Richmond *Times*, writing from Washington City under date of the 14th inst. says:

Representative Grady, of North Carolina, today offered a resolution, the preamble of which stated that the old Presbyterian Cemetery in Georgetown, D. C., has been abandoned as a burial place, and bodies interred there are being removed to other cemeteries; that Hon. James Gillespie, of North Carolina, who served his State in Congress, died in Washington City January 11th, 1805, and his remains were buried in that cemetery. The resolution directed that these remains be removed and reinterred in the Congressional Cemetery or some other suitable place, the expense to be paid out of the contingent fund. The resolution was adopted unanimously.

James Gillespie was born in 1746 in what is now Duplin county, N. C.—since 1749; received a classical education; served his native county repeatedly in the State Legislature; was elected in 1792 to the Third Congress, re-elected to the Fourth and again to the Fifth, serving from December 2nd, 1793, to March 3rd, 1799; was again elected to the Eighth Congress, serving from October 17th, 1803, to January 11th, 1805, when he died in Washington, as stated.

To the thoughtful consideration of a life-long friend of the OBSERVER we are indebted for some interesting data concerning the life-services of this distinguished warrior and statesman of other years, in whose honor Gillespie street, one of the public thoroughfares of the town of Fayetteville, was named.

James Gillespie was the maternal grandfather of the late Col. C. G. Wright, a former member of the Fayetteville bar, distinguished for his legal acumen and other admirable traits of character, and about whom the OBSERVER had something to say sometime ago, likewise Mrs. Duncan Murchison and Mrs. David McDiarmid of this county, and the great grandfather of Mrs. E. T. McKethan, of Fayetteville, all of whom are well and favorably known to our readers.

Born of Scotch-Irish parentage in Monaghan county, Ireland, in 1746 (and not Duplin county as the *Times* correspondent has it) James Gillespie was educated in Dublin, and came to America when a very young man, and settled in what is now Duplin county, where he soon became a successful planter, acquiring considerable means. He also took an active part in both civil and military affairs, and here his usefulness as a public man commenced when he represented his county in the famous Halifax Convention of 1776, which adopted the State Constitution; was an officer in the war and served throughout to the close as a brave and gallant leader of men, after the close of which he returned to his Duplin home and carried on his chosen occupation, always serving his people and country with signal ability and great satisfaction in whatever capacity chosen.

Many of his letters and documents written while in Congress, from Philadelphia and Washington alike, are still preserved, says our informant, and possess a peculiar interest as giving glimpses and incidents of life in those stirring times.

Effects of Frost on the Fruit and Vegetable Crops.

Speculation is still rife as to the effects of the late cold snap on the fruit and vegetable crops. In this section we are well nigh convinced that the damage is lighter than in most parts of the State, as the following dispatch sent out from Raleigh under date of the 11th inst. would indicate:

The frost has done great damage in this section. It has practically cut off the peach, pear and cherry crops, and has badly injured plums. One of the leading vineyard owners says that one third of the grape crop is cut off. Clover and grass are burned as by fire, and the farmers say they never knew a more cruel frost in April. The young vegetables as far as can be heard from are nearly all killed. The loss is very heavy, as many persons in the central part of the State had this season gone quite extensively into trucking.

Specials from the eastern section say Sunday night's heavy frost fairly slaughtered peas, beans, cucumbers squash and melons, and the Irish potatoes are killed to the ground. Replanting has already begun. The almost summer-like weather last week had forced vegetation and made the danger far greater.

Therefore, if "straws tell which way the wind blows," we find in the above conclusive evidence that this section of the State enjoys peculiar advantages over many others for truck farming—a fact that the OBSERVER has for many years contended.

As the Charlotte *Observer* so tritely says, "we rarely ever realize how well off we are until we look around us. Consider the state of the country in the lower South, which has just been devastated by the floods. Think of the liability of that same section to yellow fever. Look at the North and East with their rigorous climate and the West and Northwest with their blizzards and cyclones. Here we enjoy exemption from all these things and all the natural conditions calculated to make life happy are around us. In some sections of the country the soil is more fertile than ours; in some the population is denser and the opportunities for getting money are greater. But Providence has a way of evening up things in this world and all things considered He has been kindlier to no section of this country than to good old North Carolina," and the Cape Fear and Pee Dee sections thereof in particular.

Dividend No. 2.

General W. G. LeDuc, receiver for the defunct People's National Bank of this place, authorizes the statement that within the next ten days he will declare another dividend of 15 per cent. out of the collections thus far made, payable to the creditors and depositors, at once. Gen. LeDuc tells us that he has cherished the hope all along that he would have at least been able to declare another dividend of 20 per cent., but was disappointed in making certain collections, and thought, in view of the great demand for money, it would be better to declare a 15 per cent. dividend than none at all. He is still hopeful that depositors will be paid dollar for dollar, and that was about as far as the reporter interrogated him.

A Word About Prof. Graham's Progress in Charlotte, and a Lesson for the Fayetteville Graded Schools.

Prof. Alex. Graham, of Charlotte, whose friends are legion in and around Fayetteville, spent a few days in our midst the past week, where he was as usual most warmly received. It goes without saying that Prof. Graham is in reality one of the foremost educators in North Carolina today, and we append herewith the Charlotte *Observer's* account of President Winston's visit and review last Thursday of the Charlotte Graded Schools, of which Prof. Graham is the very efficient Superintendent, believing that a close perusal and study of Prof. Winston's remarks will conduce to the enlargement and usefulness of the Fayetteville Graded School, if not otherwise than by arousing a deeper and more general interest in its success:

President Winston, of the University, spent yesterday among the Charlotte schools, and expressed himself as being much pleased with what he saw. At the graded school the children assembled in the chapel, had morning prayers and heard a talk by Dr. Winston. The doctor told them that liberty and education were the two greatest blessings vouchsafed to humanity, and, therefore, that the two greatest things in Charlotte are the graded school and the Mecklenburg Declaration. The children sang "Dixie" for him and went to the work of the day.

To an OBSERVER reporter President Winston said: "I went through the school from top to bottom. The department of manual training is decidedly a revelation to me of the possibilities of the public school. The free-hand drawing, the mechanical drawing and the wood-work will compare favorably with much that I have seen in very highly endowed technical schools. Train a generation in these things, and we will have prettily designed calicoes, furniture and crockery, manufactured in North Carolina.

"One of the primary rooms is as good as I ever saw anywhere, and the work of the school is highly creditable in all respects. I examined a Latin class and found it very intelligent.

"It was a great pleasure to see the hearty relations between the superintendent and the pupils. There is no stiffness in the management, no red-tape. Everything seems practical, sensible and natural. Superintendent Graham is a man of fine resources and great versatility. Although the morning was wet and disagreeable, the children were nearly all present, and they were of well cared for as if at home. They romped and played in recess, and around the stoves were groups of little ones whom Mr. Graham sent to dry their feet. The boys and girls played together and everything was managed with rare tact and judgement.

"If a man in Charlotte does not believe in public schools, let him visit the graded school and see that chapel full of boys and girls, neat, orderly, happy and bright, out of mischief, their souls and minds expanding, let him hear their happy songs, see them working in the manual labor room, see how quickly they learn to read and write, to draw, to design, to master difficult intellectual problems; let him see them on a play-ground, happy, cheerful and self-restrained; he will doubt no longer.

"The development of North Carolina depends upon two things: popular education and manfactures. Charlotte is moving forward finely along both lines; but the present building for the graded school is old fashioned, not well suited to the purpose and unworthy of Charlotte. It is far inferior to the buildings in Greensboro, Asheville, Wilmington, Winston or Raleigh. Charlotte needs several new public school buildings in different parts of the city, constructed especially for the purpose."

By the way, if our present State Superintendent of Public Instructions, Maj. S. M. Finger, is to be displaced, Prof. Alex. Graham is preeminently the man of all others to succeed him.

People and Their Movements.

Col. Wharton J. Green went to Raleigh Friday.

Mr. Frank Thornton spent Easter Sunday in Winston.

Dr. W. B. Harrell spent a short while in Fayetteville yesterday.

Dr. H. G. Hill, of Floral College, was here a short while Monday.

Gen. W. G. LeDuc made a flying visit to Wilmington this week, returning yesday.

Mr. G. K. McKenzie, of the Maxton *Union and Scottish Chief*, paid his respects to the OBSERVER this week.

Mr. Joel C. Woodward, now of Stillmore, Ga., is on a visit to his family and many old friends in Fayetteville.

Mrs. John D. Williams left Tuesday for Wilmington, to spend a few days with the family of Mr. G. W. Williams, of that city.

Miss Mary Worth spent her Easter vacation in Fayetteville, where her many friends greeted her with a cordial welcome.

Maj. Jas. R. Williams left yesterday for Goldsboro to be present at the marriage of Mr. L. M. Michaux to Miss Hill of that place last night.

Mr. J. A. White, of Oxford, spent Easter Sunday in Fayetteville with his family, who are on a visit to Mr. John D. Williams, on Haymount.

Bishop Watson and wife have been spending a few days in Fayetteville this and last week, the guests of Dr. and Mrs. T. D. Haigh on Haymount.

Mr. John Leach, a prominent merchant of Maxton, made a pleasant visit to the OBSERVER office Tuesday. Mr. Leach is one of the pioneer merchants of his town, and bears evidence of a successful business.

After a most pleasant vacation with his parents and friends in Fayetteville, Mr. Douglas Haigh left Monday for New York, where he at present holds a position with the New England Rock Plaster Company, of which his brother, Mr. D. L. Haigh, is President.

Dr. W. A. Lash, Capt. R. P. Gray, Cols. R. T. Gray and J. Turner Morehead, and Mr. G. W. Williams, of Wilmington, were in the city this week, attending a meeting of the directors of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad Company.

William McMillian Dead.

Cumberland as well as Robeson mourns the loss of Mr. Wm. McMillian, who died suddenly near Red Springs, last Friday, on his 77th birthday. A more extended notice will appear in our next.

For Governor.

For the Observer.]

FAYETTEVILLE, April 19, 1892.

MR. EDITOR:—Amidst the unsettled state, when many are questioning the principles that have been for the safety and welfare of the country and are seeking after new gods whom they may worship, let us, the people of the Cape Fear section, remain true to the principles of Jefferson, and in the coming campaign regardless of *isms* and new and untried paths, march steadily in the old, well-beaten and well-tried ones that have in times past carried us on to victory, and doing so let us choose as our leader, one that has ever been a true and faithful Democrat, a man who loves the people and in whom we can place our utmost confidence. We need not go far to find such a man, for *even* now in the gubernatorial chair such a man exists, one who has the interests of the State at heart; a man of good judgment, a plain, practical business man, who has demonstrated in the short period that he has filled the postion, that he is the right man. It is not necessary to eulogise Thos. M. Holt; his life, his acts and all are known, not only to the people of this section, nor only in the State, but far beyond. His administration has been equal, if not the superior of any of his predecessors. It has been dictated by good sense and sound judgment, and we are sure that we speak knowingly when we say, that to-day, the true Democrats of North Carolina are looking to him as their leader in the next campaign, and we ask the people of Cumberland and of the Cape Fear section to join hand in hand and shoulder to shoulder not as a matter of gratitude for the good he has done, but for the good of the State, and in his upholding the true principles of Democracy, to see to it that Thos. M. Holt is the nominee of the Democratic party for Governor. H.

Best Route to the National Conventions.

Before selecting their route to the cities where their respective National Conventions will be held, the North Carolina Democratic, Republican and Prohibition delegations should apply or write to Mr. R. A. Jenkins, Southeastern Passenger Agent, Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, at Winston, N. C., who will cheerfully furnish all information desired relative to rates, time of trains, and special sleeping cars which may be engaged for the trip. The Baltimore & Ohio offers the exceedingly low rate of one fare for the round trip to Chicago and Minneapolis where the Democratic and Republican National Conventions will be held respectively. This is by far the most convenient route to those desiring to visit Washington before going West, as all B. & O. through trains run *via* Washington and is the only direct line to Chicago and the Northwest from that city.

An Awful Tragedy!

Thousands of lives have been sacrificed, thousands of homes made desolate by the fatal mistake of the "old-school" physicians, still persisted in by some, notwithstanding the light thrown upon the subject by modern research, that Consumption is incurable. It is not. Consumption is a scrofulous disease of the lungs, and any remedy which strikes right at the seat of the complaint must and *will* cure it. Such a remedy is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is a certain specific for all scrofulous complaints. It was never known to fail if given a fair trial, and that is why the manufacturers sell it under a *positive guarantee* that if it does not benefit or cure, the money paid for it will be refunded. The only lung remedy possessed of such remarkable curative properties as to warrant its makers in selling it *on trial!*

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A TRIAL

order will convince the most sceptical that "PERFECTION" is the best and cheapest high-grade flour on the market. Read what the ladies say of it to-day:

Q. K. Nimocks & Co., City:

DEAR SIRS:—We have been using "Perfection" flour for some time, and find it equal if not superior to any brand on the market.
Mrs. W. B. DRAUGHON.

I have used your "Perfection" flour with great satisfaction. It is equal to any I have used, and better at the price.
Mrs. W. H. MOORE.

Having tried all the leading brands of patent flours on the market, I find "Perfection" equal to the best sold. Mrs. J. J. CRESWALL.

I have used your celebrated "Perfection" flour and find it in every way worthy the name, and of indisputable merit.
Mrs. J. B. TROY.

Sold and delivered free of extra charge anywhere in the city by
Q. K. NIMOCKS & CO.,
Gillespie St., Fayetteville, N. C.
March 31, 1892—1m

R. L. TRULOVE,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,
—DEALER IN—
all kinds of Liquors, Beer, Wines, Cigars and Tobacco. "Harry Bassett" Pure Old Rye Whiskey. Pure N. C. Corn Whiskey, Apple and Peach Brandy a specialty.
☞ Orders by Mail or Express promptly filled, and satisfaction guaranteed.
April 21, 1892—3m

THE OCEANIC!

CAROLINA :: BEACH!!

GREATLY IMPOVED.
NEW FURNITURE, &c.
TABLE AND SERVICE UNSURPASSED.
FINEST BEACH ON THE COAST.
FOR INFORMATION AND RATES
APPLY TO
PHIL WRIGHT,
MANAGER.
April 21, 1892—tf

Special Announcement!
WE OFFER THE BEST QUALITY OF
Water-ground Meal,
put up in cloth sacks of 2, 1 and ½ bushel sizes
—AT—
60 cts. per bushel.
Smaller quantities in paper sacks at same price.
THESE PRICES APPLY TO CASH ORDERS ONLY.
A full and fresh supply always on hand. Also a full stock of all kinds of
FEEDS
at lowest prices.
Q. K. NIMOCKS & CO.,
—GILLESPIE STREET, FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.—
April 7, 1892. 1m

The Best Always the Cheapest.

Buy reliable goods of the undersigned, such as
HIGH GRADE FLOUR,
unsurpassed for bread, biscuit and pastry, at low price for high grade goods.
FANCY PEARL MEAL.
MARTIN'S HIGH GRADE BUTTER.
"MURRAY HILL" ROASTED JAVA COFFEE.
ORANGES, BANANAS, &c.
—FRESH—
ASPARAGUS FROM OAK RIDGE FARM.
ROYSTER'S CHOICE CANDIES WILL ARRIVE IN TIME FOR EASTER.
A. J. HUSKE, Ag't.,
HAY STREET.
April 14, 1892. tf

ABSOLUTELY FREE!

The Publishers of the FAMILY JOURNAL are determined to largely increase the circulation of their paper. To do this we make the following unheard of offer. We will send absolutely FREE postage prepaid, the celebrated *FAMILY COOK-BOOK* to each person sending us 25 cents for a six months' subscription to the FAMILY JOURNAL. This Cook Book is sent to EACH six months subscriber, and will be found an almost invaluable culinary guide in the hands of the most experienced housekeepers, as well as a necessity to the inexperienced. It possesses the one great advantage over all other cook-books published by being a comprehensive compilation of economical recipes suited to housewives with limited means. Under other heads recipes for numerous table luxuries are given. In fact this cook-book is a compendium of useful recipes used and originated by the most celebrated chefs, cooks and pastry bakers of the present day. With the FAMILY COOK-BOOK as a guide, no housewife need worry how to prepare the most sumptuous or most frugal repast. Remember we send this book absolutely free to every six months' subscriber to the FAMILY JOURNAL. This is no cheap book. It retails as high as $1.50 and $2 and is worth many times more. *THE FAMILY JOURNAL* is an elegant monthly family paper, handsomely illustrated, and containing in connection with charming stories and choice literature, such special features as "Household Hints," "The Fashions," "The Household Doctor" and numerous other departments of domestic interest, each ably edited by well-known writers on the various topics mentioned. Six months' trial subscription is only 25 cents and entitles sender to a single copy of the Cook-Book. Send twenty-five cents in postal note or stamps to
THE FAMILY JOURNAL CO.,
89 Plymouth Place, Chicago, Ill.
apl 14—2m

SEWING MACHINES
AT PRICES AND TERMS TO SUIT THE TIMES.

If you need a machine call on us before buying is all we ask. Our prices range from thirty to sixty dollars. Sold either for cash or on the installment plan—five dollars a month. We carry in stock

THE NEW HOME,
WHEELER & WILSON
AND FAVORITE MACHINES.

Each machine guaranteed for five years.
A. J. PEMBERTON & CO.
April 7, 1892—tf

Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of Sarah C. Worrell, hereby gives notice to all parties having claims against said estate to present them before March 30th, 1893. All persons indebted are requested to make immediate payment. JAS. D. WORRELL, Jr.,
March 31, 1892—6t Adm'r.

For Any Information
concerning the ELECTROPOISE TREATMENT, advertised elsewhere in the OBSERVER, call on or address
MISS MARY McN. BUIE,
P. O. Fayetteville, N. C.
March 24, 1892—tf

Very Desirable Town Lot
FOR SALE.

On Monday, April 25th, at 12 o'clock M., at the Mark House in Fayetteville, N. C., I shall offer for sale that very desirable lot on West Green Street and St. James's (Court House) Square, known as the Spring Lot. *Terms Cash.* This property can be bought in the meantime at private sale
C. W. BROADFOOT,
March 31 1892—1m Attorney.

Executor's Notice.

Having this day qualified as executor of the last will and testament of John W. Emmitt, deceased, I hereby give notice to all persons having claims against the estate of said John W. Emmitt to present them on or before the 21st day of March, 1893, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to said estate must make immediate payment. P. McQUEEN,
March 24, 1892—6w Executor of John W. Emmitt.

POE & CO.,
BRICK AND TILE MANUFACTURERS,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
Feb'y 25, 1892—tf

To Builders and Others.

Finished Flooring, Beaded or Plain Ceiling, Plained Posts, Rails and Palings any length. All the latest patterns of Mouldings furnished on short notice at lowest prices.
ALL KINDS OF BUILDERS' HARDWARE.
Estimates given Address Orders solicited from abroad
apl 7-tf WALTER WATSON,
Fayetteville, N. C.

LADY'S HOSIERY
AT COMMISSION PRICE.

Ladies, do you realize that when you buy of the retailer, you are paying THREE unnecessary profits? The manufacturer sells to the commission house, the latter to the jobber, and the jobber in turn sells to the retail merchant. You must pay the manufacturer's profit first, and then pay each of the subsequent handlers a profit, not infrequently paying two profits to the retailer. The
MANUFACTURERS' COMMISSION CO.
is a responsible syndicate which sells direct to the consumer. By investing in manufacturers' samples, odds and ends, job-lots, and the stocks of insolvent manufacturers, in connection with our regular commission holdings, we are able to sell to the consumer direct at the COMMISSION price, which is but one remove from the manufacturers'.
While this company handles all kind of Ladies' furnishings, we are making a special drive on our HOSIERY, merely to introduce our name in your territory and establish a reputation for giving values never before offered, so that you will be fully prepared for our later announcement of our entire lines. Read the following offers:
Ladies' full length, fashioned, fast black hose, superfine gauge, (retailing everywhere at 25 to 35 cents per pair), we will sell at 16 cent, or one-half dozen at 90 cents.
Ladies' extra length, full regular made, fast black and seamless hose, very finest gauge, retailing everywhere at 50 cents a pr., we will sell at 23 cents, or one-half dozen for $1.35.
We pay express charges, and agree unconditionally to refund money if hosiery is not the values and qualities described. Be sure and send the size wanted, and remember that as we pay express we cannot afford to send less than one-half dozen.
Orders must be accompanied by cash in either money-order, postal note, stamps or registered letter, addressed to the
MANUFACTURERS' COMMISSION CO.,
21 Fifth Avenue, Chicago, Ill.
apl 14—8w

Little Dick Jones,
AT A. MOORE'S STAND.
BEST CORN WHISKEY MADE IN THE LAND, BRANDIES, WINES, Etc.
A cordial invitation to my old friends to call and see me. DICK JONES.
March 10, 1892—tf

YOUR NAME if sent on postal card, with proper address will be inserted free in our numerous lists, and you will receive through them many valuable samples from companies advertising. Address postal to the AMERICAN LIST CO., Fischer Building, Chico, Ill. apl 14—2m

Sale for Taxes.

ON THURSDAY, the 5th day of MAY, 1892, I will sell at the Market House in Fayetteville, N. C., at 11 o'clock A. M., the following property to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy Taxes due "Fayetteville."
B. R. TAYLOR,
Tax Collector.

Arnett, Caroline, res Water street, 1889 2.00, 1890 2.00,	$ 4 00
Buckingham, J H res Russell st 1889, 11.55, 1890 9.81,	21 36
Buchanan, Wm imp'd Orange st 1889,	3 50
Brown, W A res Grove st 1889,	6 00
Broadfoot, Robert res Moore st 1890,	7 50
Cotton, W J res Blount st 1890,	3 00
Davis, F R res Adams st 1889 1.50, 1890 4.25,	5 75
Davis, Julius, lot Worth st 1890,	2 50
Daniels, Silas vacant Sundy's Lane 1890,	1 85
Dunn, Abram res Ramsey st 1890,	6 45
Elliott, Sallie lot Orange st 1890,	3 50
Ferguson, Mrs Catharine imp'd Maiden Lane bal 1889,	3 05
Gill, John imp'd Mumford st 1889 2.25, 1890	6 25
Halliday, Williby imp'd Holmes st 1888 bal 50c., 1889 1.50, 1890 1.51,	3 51
Hogans, Dennis res Ramsey st 1890,	5 47
Johnson, A A res Orange st 1889 bal 2.28, 1890 4.22,	6 50
Jenkins, Polly res Lamon st 1889 bal 1.56, 1890 3.50,	5 06
Jones, Bryant res Broad st 1890,	2 50
Jones, David res Lamon st 1890,	23 28
Johnson, Mrs Catharine Maiden Lane 1890,	9 00
Jones, Jas H imp'd Broad st 1890,	2 00
Lash, F W imp'd Moore st 1889 bal 1.50, 1890 3.50,	5 00
Mitchell, Henry res Mechanic st 1890	2 55
Mazingo, Edward res Russell st 1890,	1 00
McLaurin, Mrs E H store Hay st 1889 bal 15.75, 1890 30.75,	46 50
McAllister, Jas res Franklin st 1890,	3 75
McLean, Geo res Meeting st 1890,	3 50
Nelson, Mary lot Chauncy st 1890,	1 00
Overton, J R imp'd Water st 1889,	1 50
Phillips, H C res Frink Alley 1890,	2 50
Perry, Dallas Ramsey st 1889 9.50, 1890 9.85,	19 35
Robinson, A A res Moore st 1889 bal 80c. 1890 2.30,	3 10
Roberts, Zack res King st 1890,	3 25
Kencher, Annie res Gillespie st bal 1889 1.50, 1890 2.50,	4 00
Smith, Jno W res King st 1888 4.51, 18-9 3.99, 1890 3.75,	12 25
Scanlin, R T res Bow st 1889 15.00, 1890 11.00,	26 00
Smith, Lovedy J imp'd Chatham st bal 1890,	1 75
Williams, A F imp'd Hillsboro st 1889,	2 50
Weill, Mrs Sol C Hay st 1890,	20 00
Welsh, J W imp'd Mumford st 1890,	11 00

April 7, 1892

Democratic Convention.

The Democratic County Convention of Cumberland County is called to meet in the Town Hall in Fayetteville, at 12 o'clock M., Saturday, May 7th, 1892, for the purpose of electing delegates to the Democratic State Convention to be held in Raleigh, May 18th, and the Congressional Convention to be hereafter called.

All Democrats of Cumberland county, except in Cross Creek township, are hereby notified to meet in convention in their respective townships at the usual place of meeting on Saturday, April 30th, 1892, at 11 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of electing delegates to said County Convention. In Cross Creek township the Convention will be held on Friday night, April 29th, at 8 o'clock P. M., in the Town Hall.

The several township executive committees are requested to give further notice of the said meetings.

By order of the Democratic County Executive Committee. HENRY L. COOK,
April 7, 1892. Chairman.

Easter Cards and Booklets.

"The Three Hours' Agony of our Blessed Redeemer," by Rev. W. J. Knox Little.
"Agnus Dei," or, Meditations on the Event of each day in Holy Week, by Rev. W. C. E. Newbolt.
"The Seven Voices of the Cross."
"Good Friday Meditations."
"By Thy Cross and Passion."
Also a beautiful line of Dutton's and Prang's Cards and Booklets.

PRAYERS AND HYMNALS,
bound in Persian Calf, French Levant, White German Calf, French Seal, Turkey Morocco and Rutland Roan.
A. J. PEMBERTON & CO.
April 7, 1892—tf

NEW GOODS
—AT THE—
One Price Cash Store!

MR. W. F. LEAK OF THE FIRM OF
ROSE & LEAK
has just returned from the North with a very
Complete and Attractive Stock of Goods.
The ladies will be pleased with the
Beautiful Selections of Dress Goods
AND STYLISH TRIMMINGS TO MATCH.
Also with the large and varied stock of
White Goods, Hamburgs, Laces, &c.,
and with the
BEAUTIFUL LAWNS, GINGHAMS, PERCALES and COTTON PRINTS
in new effects.
SPRING GOODS always look BRIGHT and PRETTY, but this SEASON'S FABRICS seem unusually so.
Attention is invited to
ROSE & LEAK'S SHOE DEPARTMENT.
Reliable makes at reasonable prices always to be had there.
ROSE & LEAK are sole agents for the celebrated and much advertised DOUGLAS SHOE. A beautiful line of LOW SHOES, SLIPPERS, &c., for ladies from the leading manufacturers of the land.
ROSE & LEAK still adhere to their CASH SYSTEM. One price to all, and all treated alike. Respectfully,
ROSE & LEAK.
March 31, 1892. 4t

H. H. H.
We have a set of
Electric Call Bells
up for exhibition in our store.
We will be pleased to have the public examine them—the ladies especially. They are very useful and cheap.
HUSKE HARDWARE HOUSE.

H. H. H.
We have just received a car-load of
Sash, Door and Blinds.
Prices will be lower than ever before.
HUSKE HARDWARE HOUSE.

H. H. H.
Hacks, Pullers, Dippers.
We have a line of TURPENTINE TOOLS in stock, which are absolutely guaranteed. Get one—if not good we will replace it.
HUSKE HARDWARE HOUSE.
April 7, 1892.

"OUR OWN"
Sarsaparilla with Iodides,
100 FULL DOSES $1.00:
BETTER AND CHEAPER THAN ANY PREPARATION ON THE MARKET.
GIVE IT A TRIAL.
A. J. COOK & CO.,
DRUGGISTS,
MARKET SQUARE.
Fayetteville, N. C.
March 31, 1892.

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS
—AT—
WALTER WATSON'S
Hardware House.

PLOWS,	HOES,
HAMES,	RAKES,

Pimples Blotches and Old Sores

Are entirely removed by P. P. P., Prickly Ash, Poke Root and Potassium, the greatest blood purifier on earth.

Boils, erysipelas, syphilis, rheumatism, scrofula, blood poison, mercurial poison and all other impurities of the Blood are cured by P. P. P.

Randall Pope the retired druggist of Madison, Fla., says: P. P. P. is the best alterative and blood medicine on the market. He being a druggist and having sold all kinds of medicine, his unsolicited testimonial is of great importance to the sick and suffering.

Capt. J. D. Johnston.

To all whom it may concern:—I take great pleasure in testifying to the efficient qualities of the popular remedy for eruptions of the skin known as P. P. P. (Prickly Ash, Poke Root and Potassium). I suffered for several years with an unsightly and disagreeable eruption on my face, and tried various remedies to remove it, none of which accomplished the object until this valuable preparation was resorted to. After taking three bottles, in accordance with directions, I am now entirely cured.

J. D. JOHNSTON,
Of the firm of Johnston & Douglas,
Savannah, Ga.

Henry Winter, Superintendent of the Savannah Brewery, says: He has had Rheumatism of the heart for several years, often unable to walk, his pain was so intense; he had professors in Philadelphia, but received no relief until he came to Savannah and tried P. P. P. Two bottles made him a well man, and he renders thanks to P. P. P. For sale by all druggists.

Exhausted vitality, nervousness, lost manhood, weakness caused by overtaxation of the system, will be cured by the powerful P. P. P., which gives health and strength to the wreck of the system. For sale by

H. R. HORNE and A. J. COOK & CO.

One Dollar Weekly

Buys a good Gold Watch by our Club System. Our 14-karat gold-filled cases are warranted for 20 years. Fine Elgin or Waltham movement. Stem wind and set. Lady's or Gent's size. Equal to any $50 watch. To secure agents where we have none, we sell one of the Hunting-Case Watches for the Club price $28 and send C. O. D. by express with privilege of examination before paying for same.

Our Agent at Heath Springs, S. C., writes: "Your watches take at sight. The gentleman who got the last watch said that he examined and priced a jeweler's watches in Lancaster, that were no better than yours, but the price was $45."

One good reliable Agent wanted for each place. Write for particulars.

EMPIRE WATCH CO., New York.
March 3, 1892. 1y

Important to Ladies.

SIR:—I made use of your PHILOTOKEN with my last child, in order to procure a safe and easy travail. I used it about two months before my expected time, until I was taken sick, and I had a very quick and easy confinement. Nothing occurred to protract my convalescence, and I got about in less time than was usual for me. I think it a medicine that should be used by every expectant mother, for should they but try it as I have they would never again be without it at such times.

I am yours respectfully,
Mrs. ELIZABETH DIX.

Any merchant or druggist can procure RISLEY'S PHILOTOKEN for $1 a bottle.
CHARLES F. RISLEY, Wholesale Druggist,
62 Cortlandt St., New York.
March 3, 1892. 1y

For Sale.

That desirable place on Haymount formerly owned and occupied by Col. A. H. Worth, known as the summer residence of the late D. A. Ray—a comfortable six-room dwelling, with all necessary outhouses and attractive grounds. Belonging to the property are 15 acres of valuable land—a good part thereof fronting on the street leading to Glenville Pond, and easily divided into eligible building lots with pleasant location. On the premises are good water, a never-failing spring and fish-pond. For terms call on or address

WELDON W HUSKE.
Fayetteville, N. C.
Jan'y 7, 1892—tf

NOTICE.

The undersigned has resumed the practice of law in Fayetteville, N. C. His office is on Hay street, over McDuffie's Drug Store. P. O. box 34.

He will attend the Courts, State and Federal, where his services may be required.

JAMES C. MACRAE.
Jan'y 1, 1891. tf

FOR SALE.

One Cookwalter Engine and Boiler complete, 6½ horse-power; one Circular Saw Frame and Mandrill, and five saws of the following sizes: 32 inch, 25 inch, 21½ inch, 16 inch and 12 inch; Belting, Shafting, etc. Also Portable Grist Mill. Also one 10½ horse-power Engine and Boiler with necessary fixtures, etc. Apply to

A. G. BRADY,
Fayetteville, N. C.
Oct. 15, 1891—tf

NEWTON H. SMITH,
Real Estate Agent,

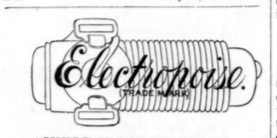
P. O. Box 58, Fayetteville, N. C.,

Has especial advantages for buying and selling town and country property. Write him for particulars if you want to buy or sell REAL ESTATE.

He is also a

COAL DEALER,

and carries a FULL STOCK AT ALL TIMES of Anthracite and Bituminous Coal, and is *never undersold.*
July 30, 1891—tf



SIMPLE IN CONSTRUCTION, PERMANENT IN DURATION. EASILY APPLIED. ITS SKILLFUL USE QUICKLY LEARNED.

The Electropoise is an Instrument for the CURE OF DISEASE WITHOUT MEDICINE.

BASED on new theories of the cause and cure of disease, it deals with the electrical and magnetic conditions of the body and the gases surrounding it in the atmosphere controlling these conditions at will. IT IS NOT ELECTRICITY. DISEASE is simply impaired vitality. The Electropoise constantly adds to the vitality, and only assists NATURE, IN NATURE'S WAY, to throw off the trouble.

A 40 page book, describing treatment and containing testimonials from all sections, and for the cure of all diseases, mailed *free* on application. Address

ATLANTIC ELECTROPOISE CO.,
Washington, D. C. Charleston, S. C. Atlanta, Ga.

MISS S. A. TILLINGHAST,
423 N. Bloodworth St., Raleigh, N. C.
MISS MARY McN. BUIE,
Fayetteville, N. C.
Jan'y 21, 1892.

Land for Sale.

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, N. C., made in a proceeding to sell land to pay debts due by the estate of Holly Gainey, I as Commissioner will, on Monday, May 2nd, 1892, at 11 o'clock at the Court-House in Fayetteville, expose to sale by public auction the lands of said Holly Gainey, situate in Flea Hill township in said county, containing about 300 acres (subject, however, to the widow's dower which has been duly assigned).

TERMS: The purchaser will be required to pay one-fourth cash, and give notes for the balance, to be paid in two equal installments in six and twelve months, with interest at eight per cent. from sale.

ALBERT GAINEY, Com'r.
March 24, 1892.

PITOU'S FACE CREAM. The leading Parisian Cosmetique. Absolutely harmless and a perfect face beautifier. A first-class medicant. On sale with all leading druggists. apl 14—3m

"Beyond the Vale I Cannot See."

Beyond the vale I cannot see,
The future is a mystery
I would fain comprehend;
But God knows what is best for me,
In love, He will not let me see
What coming days and years will be,
Nor how life's course will end.

He knows that one day's weight of care
Is quite as much as I can bear,
"In this frail body pent;"
And with these words he comforts me:
"E'en as thy days thy strength shall be,
Each moment, child, I care for thee,
Then be therewith content."

This side the vale my Father stands,
And in His holds my feeble hands,
And tells me not to fear;
My lack of sight He will supply,
And guide me with His watchful eye;
Why should I fret, why should I sigh,
When He, my God, is near?

One day His secrets I shall share,
That which on earth I could not bear
To know He will make plain—
The strange, dark path my feet have trod,
The chastenings of His righteous rod,
Thy lov'd form 'neath the daisy sod,
The parting and the pain.

I know, although I cannot see,
"All things will work for good" to me
Directed by His hand.
'Mid storms the oak tree stronger grows,
The spring-time lives beneath the snows,
The air is purer when there blows
A gale o'er sea and land.

"Praise God, from whom all blessings flow,"
I thank Him that I do not know
What in the future lies—
I rest me in His cheering Word,
That "eye hath not seen nor ear heard"
What he has for His saints prepared,
Here, and beyond the skies.
—*Boston Journal.*

He Appreciates Farming.

A correspondent in the Scientific American says: "I should rather have twenty-five acres of land in Central Illinois, or like fertile lands further south, to raise a family than to be the best mechanic in Chicago.

Working on land where nature blooms and blossoms should be a pleasant occupation to an old man who has not lost his physical powers.

All this talk about the poor farmer, his hardships, discontent, and unhappiness has filled the public mind with the thought, "Anything but a farmer's life."

Let a man walk around New York and see families living in one room, seeing the children play on the stone sidewalk, half raked, their barefeet never touching a blade of green grass. He must feel that a child born on a farm is blessed in the start.

My advice to a mechanic: Save a portion of his wages, so when old age drew near he could own a small farm and be an independent man."

This correspondent recognizes the true theory, that working poor land is just what the trouble is with our farmers. It cost about as much to cultivate an acre of poor land as in does to till land that will produce three times as much. What we want here in the South is to increase the fertility of our lands.

Farm and Garden Notes.

Good farming in brain work.

Keep on the right side of nature.

Farm and farmer must improve together.

You cannot get rich at the expense of your farm.

Weed killing is only a side issue in cultivation.

Cultivate your ideas in winter while other crops can't grow.

The man whose farming don't pay waits until oat sowing time to oil his harness.

Hollow horn is a sympathetic affection. Hollow stomach is at the bottom of it.

Three kinds of people abuse horses; the well meaning ignorant, the selfishly indifferent, and the brutally vicious. Between the three, the poor horse has a tough time of it.

A cow may be fed too much, but this fault is not a common one, nor a erying danger. Every cow giving milk should be fed enough to show that she is not thin in flesh, nor in any way lacking in physical comfort. She should be fat enough to make fair beef, but not of that high grade that butchers consider as first class meat.

Fertilizers for Garden Crops.

A bulletin from the Georgia experiment station makes it appear that in fertilizers for oats, nitrogen, as one might expect, has proved to be the most effective element, and cotton-seed meal is one of the best applications made.

In this same bulletin it is told that cotton seed meal increases the yield of many garden crops as well, but nitrate of soda has been found to be the best for earliness. Cantoloupes come into early growth and vigor when fertilized freely with nitrate of soda, but the later ones do better when given cotton-seed meal.

With beans the best growth was obtained when nitrate of soda and cotton-seed meal together formed the source of the nitrogen. Similar effects were obtained from other garden vegetables, so that the conclusion is reached that nitrate of soda is the best for earliness.

Potatoes Growing Like Peas.

Wellbaugh and Chening, in their explorations in the Colombian Andes, have discovered a species of potato the vines of which were covered with well devoloped tubers growing in the open air like peas or tomatoes. Each potato is protected by a thin film or membrane, not unlike that which envelops the "ground cherry." They do not grow in clusters, each being given plenty of space in which to thoroughly mature. The natives say that during the dry season the membrane surrounding each potato is filled with water, which in a measure proteets it from the rays of the sun.

His Fatal Reply.

Brooklyn Life.]

"I dreamed," said she, most archly smiling.
"That you proposed the other night"
Her voice was low, her glance beguiling.
Her profile turned towards the light.

"Indeed!" said he, of leap year thinking,
And how she yearned to catch a beau—
His untiring soul from that fate shrinking—
"Dreams go by contraries, you know."

"So I have heard," she whispered, musing;
He hoped she took the proper view—
How his thick wit he's now abusing—
"Well, then, I must propose to you."

☞ The Hon. W. W. Henry, a grandson of Patrick Henry, attends the church (St. John's) in Richmond, Va., where the latter delivered the speech that made his name famous. The seat on which the orator stood when he cried "Give me liberty or give me death" is shown visitors.—*Pittsburg Dispatch.*

☞ The number of men killed and wounded on the railroads of this country in 1889 was more than twice the loss of the Union army at Gettysburg, there having been killed over 6,000, while the number of the maimed and crippled was over 26,000.

That Your Hair

may retain its youthful color, fullness, and beauty, dress it daily with

Ayer's Hair Vigor

It cleanses the scalp, cures humors, and stimulates a new growth of hair

Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.
Lowell, Mass.

May 28, 1891.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

H. McD. ROBINSON,
ATTORNEY AT LAW
—AND—
NOTARY PUBLIC,
NO. 6, THORNTON BLOCK,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

☞ Gives special attention to collecting and conveyancing. Deeds, Contracts, Wills, Mortgages, etc., prepared in best style on Remington Type-writer. Proofs taken and privy examinations made for any county in North Carolina and other States, and affidavits prepared for use within or without the State.
Oct 29, 1891.

JOHN G. SHAW,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW

Practices in the various Courts of the State Prompt attention given to all business entrusted to his care.
Feb'y 14, 1889. 1y

N. A. SINCLAIR,
Attorney-at-Law.
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
Attends all the Courts in Robeson County.
Office No. 4, Thornton Block.
June 20, 1889. tf

DR. J. H. DANIEL,
OF DUNN, HARNETT COUNTY, N. C.,
offers his professional services to those suffering with Cancer and Scrofulous Affections.

All letters of inquiry as to my mode of treatment will be cheerfully answered

Would respectfully ask the attention of the public to the subjoined card from Dr. McKay:

SUMMERVILLE, N. C., Dec. 11th, 1890.

Dr. J. H. Daniel, Dunn, N. C.:

DEAR SIR:—The sore on my face, which was pronounced Epithelial Cancer, is perfectly well, and I do not hesitate to recommend your mode of treatment to any persons suffering with Cancer.

Respectfully,
A. M McKAY, M. D.
March 12, 1891—tf

DR. J. H. MARSH
has removed his office and residence to rooms in the Thornton block.
Office in room No. 5.
Night bell No. 8.
Calls answered promptly night and day.
Feb'y 5, 1891. tf

G. B. PATTERSON, D. D. S.,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

After 6 years experience offer his professional services to the citizens of Fayetteville and surrounding country. Office up-stairs over Bank of Fayetteville. N. B. Hayes' Hypnotic used for the painless extraction of teeth.

THOS. M. HUNTER, D. D. S.,

OFFERS HIS PROFESSIONAL services to the citizens of Fayetteville and surrounding country.

OFFICE:
North-east corner Market Square.
April 29, 1880. tf

Winburn, the Photographer!

In this portion of the State Winburn is the LEADING PHOTOGRAPHER.

A High Grade of Work at a Reasonable Price. Gallery on Person Street, about fifty yards east of Market Square.
Oct. 15, 1891.—tf

CHAS. GLOVER,
AUCTIONEER
—AND—
REAL ESTATE AGENT.

Negotiates the sale and purchase of Stocks, Bond and other Securities.
Fayetteville, N. C., Feb'y 5, 1891. tf

SURVEYING.

With several years' experience and a thorough knowledge of the business, I now offer my services for making accurate surveys and plots of land in Cumberland and adjoining counties. For further information call on or address

WM. ALDERMAN,
Fayetteville, N. C.
Jan'y 21, 1892—tf

S. H. MacRAE,
Civil Engineer and Surveyor,
OFFERS HIS SERVICES TO THE PUBLIC.
Office over McDuffie's Drug Store.
Feb'y 11, 1892—tf

—THE—
Bank : of : Fayetteville,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,
Does a General Banking Business,
RECEIVES DEPOSITS SUBJECT TO CHECK,
Collects Notes and Drafts
Payable here and at all Banking Points in North Carolina,
AT REASONABLE CHARGES,
and remits promptly for all collections.
CAPITAL STOCK, - - $300,000.00.
☞ No deposits received on interest.

J. D. WILLIAMS, Pres.,
H. W. LILLY, Vice Pres.,
J. C. HAIGH, JR., Cashier.
Fayetteville, N. C., October 8.

W. M. BLEDSOE,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
Horses, Mules and Cattle.

I would respectfully call the attention of my friends throughout the country that I can be found at my "old stand" in Fayetteville with a fine assortment of

HORSES, MULES AND CATTLE,

all of which I will sell cheap for cash or on time for good security. I am anxious to sell, and if you want to buy or sell come and see

Your humble servant,
W. M. BLEDSOE.
Feb'y 4, 1892—tf

THE MERCHANT MILLS
—BY—
J. D. McNEILL,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. J.,

are prepared to furnish you at cash prices with

CORN,
MEAL,
FLOUR,
SHIP STUFF,
FEED,
GRAIN, BRAN, &c.

Consult your interest and get their figures before buying.
May 8, 1890. tf

CHAS. A. GOODWIN. E. L. REMSBURG.

Fayetteville Marble
—AND—
Granite Works,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,
—AND—
RALEIGH, N. C.,
MANUFACTURERS OF AND DEALERS IN

Marble and Granite Monuments, Tombstones,
Wrought Iron and Wire Fencing.

The undersigned have formed a partnership for the above work, with E. L. Remsberg resident partner at Fayetteville. Best work and lowest prices. Satisfaction guaranteed.

GOODWIN & REMSBURG.
Fayetteville, N. C.
Sept. 24, 189'—tf

CLYDE'S
New York and Wilmington Steamship Co.

FROM PIER 29, EAST RIVER, NEW YORK,
Located bet. Chambers and Roosevelt Sts.,
At 3 o'clock P. M

NEW YORK FOR WILMINGTON
CROATAN.....Saturday, April 16
PAWNEE.....Saturday, April 23

WILMINGTON FOR NEW YORK.
PAWNEE.....Saturday, April 16
CROATAN.....Saturday, April 23

WILMINGTON FOR GEORGETOWN.
PAWNEE.....Tuesday, April 12
CROATAN.....Tuesday, April 19

☞ Through Bills Lading and Lowest Through Rates guaranteed to and from points in North and South Carolina.
For Freight or Passage apply to

H. G. SMALLBONES,
Superintendent,
Wilmington, N. C.
THEO. G. EGER, T. M., Bowling Green, N. Y.
W. P. CLYDE & CO., General Agents,
March 28 1889 tf 5 Bowling Green, N. Y

NOTICE.

By virtue of a deed of trust made to me by McNeill & Bro., I will sell at the Market House on April 15th the following pieces of town property: One desirable 6-room Dwelling on Rowan street, between the present residence of Mr. N. A. Sinclair and Mr. R. H. Ledbetter; also 8 Tenement Houses on Robinson street, in rear of the Geo. McNeill property. This property must be sold, and is a fine opportunity for either investment or for a home. Recollect the day of sale: Friday, April 15th.

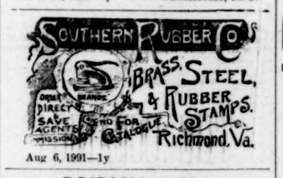
Terms: Cash.

JAS. D. McNEILL, Trustee.
H. L. COOK, Attorney.
March 17, 1892—ts

FIRE INSURANCE.
READ AND ACT ACCORDINGLY.

THE ÆTNA FIRE.—The old Ætna's statement for 1891 shows an increase in reinsurance reserve of $170,000, and a gain in net assets of $101,542. That's a good showing in the face of an exceptionally bad year. The Ætna's assets are now $9,659,139, and net surplus $3,702,919. Anybody who wants better indemnity than that offered by the Ætna won't be able to get it.—*The Vindicator, Jan'y 15, 1892.*

B. R. HUSKE, Agent,
March 24, 1892—1y Fayetteville, N. C.



Aug 6, 1991—1y

POMONA HILL NURSERIES,
POMONA, N. C.

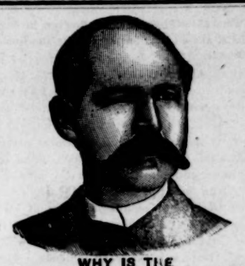
Stock consists of
ALL LEADING FRIUTS
Calculated to suit the Southern and border States.
Send for descriptive Catalogue, No. 1, of
FRIUT TREES, VINES, &c.
and No. 2, Green-House Catalogue of young pot-grown
Roses, Chrysanthemums, CARANTIONS,
and a general variety of Bedding and Flowing Plants, ready to plant out in April and May.

☞ Catalogue free. Correspondence solicited. Address

J. VAN. LINDLEY,
Pomona, Guilford Co., N. C.
May 30, 1889.

Walter Watson's Grocery Store,
PERSON ST., FAYETTEVILLE.

HEAVY AND FANCY GROCERIES, FLOUR and POTATOES SPECIALTIES. TOBACCO, SNUFF, CIGARS, CANNED GOODS, Etc.
Highest Market Prices Paid for all kinds of Country Produce.
☞ Goods delivered free of charge to all parts of the city.
ORDERS SOLICITED.
W. W. COLE, Manager.
March 10, 1892.



WHY IS THE
W. L. DOUGLAS $3 SHOE
THE BEST SHOE IN THE WORLD.

It is a seamless shoe, with no tacks or wax thread to hurt the feet; made of the best calf, stylish and easy, and *because we make more shoes of this grade than any other manufacturer,* it equals hand sewed shoes costing from $4.00 to $5.00.

$5.00 Genuine Hand-sewed, the finest calf shoe ever offered for $5.00; equals French imported shoes which cost from $8.00 to $12.00.

$4.00 Hand-Sewed Welt Shoe, fine calf, stylish, comfortable and durable. The best shoe ever offered at this price; same grade as custom-made shoes costing from $6.00 to $8.00.

$3.50 Police Shoe; Farmers, Railroad Men and Letter Carriers all wear them; has no seams, smooth inside, heavy three soles, extension edge. One pair will wear a year.

$2.50 fine calf; no better shoe ever offered at this price; one trial will convince those who want a nice fit, comfort and service.

$2.25 and $2.00 Workingman's shoes are very strong and durable. Those who have given them a trial will wear no other make.

Boys' $2.00 and $1.75 school shoes are worn by the boys everywhere; they sell on their merits, as the increasing sales show.

Ladies $3.00 Hand-sewed shoe, best Dongola, very stylish; equals French imported shoes costing from $4.00 to $5.00.

Ladies' $2.50, $2.00 and $1.75 shoe for Misses are the best fine Dongola. Stylish and durable.

Caution.—See that W. L. Douglas' name and price are stamped on the bottom of each shoe.

☞ TAKE NO SUBSTITUTE. ☜
Insist on local advertised dealers supplying you.
W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass. Sold by

ROSE & LEAK.
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
Jan 7th, 1892. 5m.

Swinton's Specific
FOR DYSPEPSIA.

This unfailing remedy for Dyspepsia of the most chronic type, is the result of many years' medical research of one of the most noted and eminent medical scholars of the period, Dr. La Verne Swinton. Patent and proprietary nostrums have had no more bitter opponent than this most eminent physician, for the simple reason that the same dose is invariably prescribed to the sufferer, no matter what the temperament of the patient, and no matter what the peculiarities of the disease, and this, too, in the face of the claims that such remedies will cure a majority of known diseases.

Dr. Swinton realized fully to what extent Dyspepsia, whether mild or chronic by impoverishing and poisoning the blood, became the progenitor of ungerous diseases, and therefore sought diligently for years to discover its true specific. In this he was successful, but in prescribing his wonderful discovery, he never overlooked the great medical truth that the symptoms in each case, the temperamental differences, and even the habits and occupation of the sufferer, required not only a difference in the prescription of his remedy, but also demanded supplemental treatment and dietary directions, varying widely in different cases. THE SWINTON MEDICAL CO. send in connection with this celebrated Specific for Dyspepsia, a complete treatise by the Doctor, which gives explicit directions to the sufferer, so that he may not only intelligently use the remedy, but also properly regulate the diet, and properly self-administer the supplemental prescriptions suited to the case.

This is Medical Treatment and not Quackery

Do not be robbed of your money and your hopes for restored health by alleged panaceas, which while comparatively harmless will cure nothing.

SWINTON'S SPECIFIC is sold by all druggists in $1.00 packages. We are introducing it ourselves in this territory, before placing it on sale with your leading pharmacists, and will send single packages to any address upon receipt of 50 cents. Each package contains the medical treatise of Dr. Swinton, giving dietary directions and supplemental prescriptions. Address

SWINTON MEDICAL CO.,
Fischer Building. Chicago, Ill.
apl 14—6w

E. L. CLARK,
GROCERY and FAMILY SUPPLY STORE,
CORNER HAY AND WINSLOW STREETS
(Opposite Short-Cut Depot).
COUNTRY PRODUCE
BOUGHT AND SOLD,
Fresh Meats, Etc.
GOODS DELIVERED FREE OF CHARGE TO ALL PARTS OF THE CITY AND HAYMOUNT.
March 17, 1892. 1y

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Jo n M. Smith, dec'd, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against the said estate to present them to the undersigned duly authenticated on or before the 24th day of March, 1893, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment.

JOHN SMITH, Adm'r.
HENRY L. COOK, Att'y.
March 24, 1892. 6tpd

CAPE FEAR RIVER STEAMERS!

Steamer D. Murchison,
Capt. D. Robeson.
Leaves Fayetteville Mondays and Thursdays.
Leaves Wilmington Tuesdays and Fridays.

Steamer A. P. HURT,
Capt. Irvin Robeson.
Leaves Fayetteville Tuesdays and Fridays.
Leaves Wilmington Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Steamer Cape Fear,
Capt. Irvin Robeson.
Leaves Fayetteville Wednesdays and Saturdays.
Leaves Wilmington Mondays and Thursdays.
☞ First Class Passenger and Freight accommodations on each of the three Steamers.
Through Bills of Lading to ALL Points.
Connects at Wilmington with the Clyde Steamship Company.
For Freight Rates and other information, apply to

W. S. COOK,
Fayetteville, N. C.
T. D. LOVE,
Wilmington, N. C. Oct —1y

J. W. WELSH,
Carriage and Wagon Manufacturer,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
Repairing in all Branches.
Good Substantial Work
GUARANTEED.
ORDERS SOLICITED.
Nov. 12, 1891. tf

CHANCE FOR PROFITABLE INVESTMENT.
Farming Land for Sale.

The domestic affairs of my family rendering obligatory our removal to Texas, I desire to sell the farm upon which I reside, located 12 miles above Fayetteville on the east side of Cape Fear River, running back to the near vicinity of the Wilson Short-Cut R. R., and distant about 3 miles from Wade Station. The property contains 256 acres, with about a four horse crop under cultivation. This is a convenient farm, in excellent condition, with good dwelling and out-buildings. For terms, &c., call on or address

NEILL McDOUGALD,
Wade, Cumberland Co., N. C.
Jan'y 28, 1892—6mpd.

BONITZ HOTEL.
129 Market Street, Wilmington, N. C.,
now being thoroughly renovated, is open for
THE -:- RECEPTION -:- OF -:- GUESTS

CAPE FEAR & YADKIN VALLEY RY CO
CONDENSED SCHEDULE.
In effect March 29th, 1892.

	NORTH BOUND. Daily Except Sunday. No 2.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 4.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 16.
Leave Wilmington,	9:50 a m		
Arrive Fayetteville,	1:55 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,	3:00 p m		
Leave Sanford,	4:25 p m		
Arrive Greensboro,	6:55 p m		
Leave Greensboro,	7:15 p m		
Leave Walnut Cove,	9:00 p m		
Arrive Mt. Airy,	11:15 p m		
Leave Bennettsville,		12:40 p m	
Leave Maxton,		1:27 p m	
Arrive Fayetteville,		2:57 p m	
Leave Ramseur,			7:25 a m
Arrive Greensboro,			10:05 a m
Leave Greensboro,			10:35 a m
Arrive Madison,			1:05 p m

	SOUTH BOUND. Daily Except Sunday. No. 1.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 3.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 15.
Leave Mt. Airy,	6:00 a m		
Leave Walnut Cove,	8:11 a m		
Arrive Greensboro,	10:00 a m		
Leave Greensboro,	10:30 a m		
Leave Sanford,	12:45 p m		
Arrive Fayetteville,	2:06 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,	3:04 p m		
Arrive Wilmington,	7:05 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,		2:11 p m	
Leave Maxton,		3:32 p m	
Arrive Bennettsville,		4:22 p m	
Leave Madison,			2:45 p m
Arrive Greensboro,			4:55 p m
Leave Greensboro			5:15 p m
Arrive Ramseur,			8:10 p m

	NORTH BOUND. Daily Except Sunday. No. 12.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 14.
Leave Greensboro,	10:10 a m	
Leave Walnut Cove,	1:55 p m	
Arrive Mt. Airy,	5:55 p m	
Leave Bennettsville,		1:00 a m
Leave Maxton,		4:25 a m
Arrive Fayetteville,		9:55 a m

	SOUTH BOUND. Daily Except Sunday. No. 11.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 13.
Leave Mt. Airy,	2:10 p m	
Leave Walnut Cove,	6:15 p m	
Arrive Greensboro,	9:30 p m	
Leave Fayetteville,		10:15 a m
Leave Maxton,		4:30 p m
Arrive Bennettsville,		7:05 p m

W. E. KYLE,
General Passenger Agent.
J. W FRY, General Manager.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE
Wilmington & Weldon R. R.
AND BRANCHES.
Condensed Schedule.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

DATED MARCH 28, 1892.	No. 23, Daily.	No. 27, Daily.
Leave Weldon,	12 30 P. M.	5 43 P. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount,	1 40 "	6 36 P. M.
Arrive Tarboro,	*2 18 P. M.	
Leave Tarboro,	12 58 P. M.	*6 00 P. M.
Arrive Wilson,	2 18 P. M.	7 00 P. M.
Leave Wilson,	*2 22 "	
Arrive Selma,	3 30 "	
Arrive Fayetteville,	5 30 "	
Leave Goldsboro,	3 "	7 20 "
Leave Warsaw,	4 "	8 "
Leave Magnolia,	4 "	8 15 "
Arrive Wilmington,	6 00 "	9 55 P. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No. 18, Daily.	No. 78, Daily.
Leave Wilmington,	*7 10 A. M.	9 15 A. M.
Leave Magnolia,	9 37 A. M.	10 57 "
Leave Warsaw,		11 11 "
Leave Goldsboro,	10 15 A. M.	12 05 P. M.
Leave Fayetteville,		*9 10 A. M.
Arrive Selma,		11 08 "
Arrive Wilson,		12 10 P. M.
Leave Wilson,	11 A. M.	12 58 P. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount,	11 30 A. M.	1 30 "
Arrive Tarboro,	*6 30 A. M.	*2 18 "
Leave Tarboro,		12 58 P. M.
Arrive Weldon,	6 35 A. M.	2 55 P. M.

*Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Scotland Neck Branch Read leave Weldon 4:00 P M, Halifax 4:22 P M, arrive Scotland Neck at 5:15 P M. Greenville 6:52 P M., Kinston 8:00 P M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7:10 A M, Greenville 8:25 A M., Arriving Halifax at 11:00 A M. Weldon 11:25 A M, daily except Sunday.

Local freight train leaves Weldon Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 10:15 A. M., arriving Scotland Neck 1:05 A M, Greenville 5:30 P M, Kinston 7:40 P M. Returning leaves Kinston Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7:20 A M, Greenville 9:55 A M, Scotland Neck 2:20 P M, arrive Weldon 5:15 P M.

Train leaves Tarboro, N C, via Albemarle & Raleigh R R Daily except Sunday, 4:40 P M. Sunday 3:00 P M, arrive Williamston N C, 7:18 P M. 4:20 P M, Plymouth 8:30 P M, 5:20 P M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 6:0 A M, Sunday 9:00 A M, Williamston, N C, 7:30 A M, 9.58 A M. Arrive Tarboro 10:40 A M, 11:20 A M.

Trains on Southern Division, Wilson and Fayetteville Branch, leave Fayetteville 7:30 A. M., arrive Rowland 12:15 P. M. Returning leave Rowland 12:15 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 5:15 P. M Daily except Sunday.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro, N C, Daily except Sunday, 6:00 A M, arrive Smithfield, N C, 7:30 A M. Returning, leaves Smithfield N C, 8:00 A M, arrive Goldsboro, N C, 9:30 A M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 5:15 P M, arrives Nashville 5:55 P M, Spring Hope 6:30 P M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 8:0 A M, Nashville 8:35 A M, arrive Rocky Mount 9:15 A M, daily, except Sunday.

Train on Clinton branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, Daily, except Sunday, at 6:00 P M and 11:5 A M. Returning, leaves Clinton at 8:20 A M and 3:0 P M, connecting at Warsaw with Nos 41, 40, 3 and 78.

Southbound Train on Wilson & Fayetteville Branch is No 51. Northbound is No 50. *Daily except Sunday.

Trains No 27 South, and 14 North, will stop only at Rocky Mount, Wilson, Goldsboro and Magnolia.

Train No 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points North daily. All rail via Richmond, and daily except Sunday via Bay Line, also at Rocky Mount daily except Sunday, with Norfolk and Carolina Railroad for Norfolk and all points north via Norfolk.

J. R KENLEY, General Manager
JOHN F. DIVINE, General Sup't.
T. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager.

PRACTICAL HINTS TO BUILDERS | FREE.

100 pages, 40 illustrations, 20 short chapters on the kitchen, chimneys, cistern, foundation, brick-work, mortar, cellar, heating, ventilation, the roof and many items of interest to builders.

Over 100,000 copies of this little book have been sold for ten cents each.

We now propose to put it into the hands of those contemplating building, together with our lithograph, which, in colors, shows the various styles of our metal roofing and roofing sundries.

THE NATIONAL SHEET METAL ROOFING CO., 510 to 520 East 20th St., New York City.
Sept. 11, 1890. tf

"ALBEMARLE."

We are pleased to announce to our friends and the public generally that we are now able to supply a long-felt want. We can now sell you

AS GOOD FLOUR AS IS MADE

for much less money than you have been paying for the best quality of flour. Until now we have been paying too much for Patent flour in proportion to the price of Straight flour. Order a sample sack of ALBEMARLE FLOUR, and if it is not as good as any flour that you ever used, it will not cost you anything.

Remember the name, "ALBEMARLE." A cut of the mill and the name of the miller on each and every sack.

To merchants who will handle this flour in lots, we will give the "big end" of our profits to enable them to sell at same price that we do.

We have straight flour made at the same mill, branded "GOLDEN SHEAF," which gives great satisfaction to those who use this grade of flour.

We always have a good stock of these flours on hand, and the quality is always uniform.

A. E. RANKIN & CO.
Fayetteville, N. C., January 15, 1892.

'FIRMNESS, COURAGE AND HONESTY
WERE PROMINENT TRAITS IN THE CHARACTER OF
General Jackson.
"STRENGTH, DURABILITY
—AND—
HONEST CONSTRUCTION"
ARE DISTINCTIVE FEATURES OF THE
OLD HICKORY WAGONS.

☞ ONE, TWO, THREE AND FOUR-HORSE WAGONS. ALSO TUBULAR AXLE WAGONS. THE BEST WAGONS ON WHEELS. WILL BE SOLD LOW. ☜

A. E. RANKIN & Co.
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

WANTED!

1,000 Cash Customers for Sash, Doors, Blinds, &c. for the year 1892.

SANFORD SASH and BLIND COMPANY,
SANFORD, N. C.,
MANUFACTURERS OF SASH, DOORS, BLINDS, MOULDINGS, BRACKETS AND OTHER BUILDING MATERIAL. DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF PINE LUMBER, SHINGLES, LATHS, PAINTS, &c.

We have just put in a New Engine and Boiler and an Improved Dry Kiln, and are prepared to fill orders on short notice. We are nearer the finest Pine Timber and Leading Lumber Manufacturers than any other firm of the kind in the State. We ship direct from our doors by the Seaboard Air Line and Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railways, our shops being near the crossing just between the two roads. We are well equipped with the latest improved machinery. We employ skilled labor and guarantee satisfaction. Correspondence solicited. All orders by mail secure prompt attention.

SANFORD SASH AND BLIND COMPANY,
SANFORD, N. C.
J. W. SCOTT, Sr., President. J. B. MAKEPEACE,